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THIS WEEK: COMICS WHAM-CHAMPION BAG PUNCHER OF AMERICA!

SHE'S WORLD'S CHAMPION AS FAR AS I'M CONCERNED

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ICH SHOWS U BUY A DEN BADEN I CAN

MOTHER HAS POOR DADDY GONE NUTS!

GETTING HIS BRAIN ACUSTOMED TO EUROPEAN MONEY.

EV, IF ING CAN GET OFF THE BOAT!

GEORGE McMANUS

HERE I'LL GIVE YOU A DOLLAR FOR THAT DRUM

ALL RIGHT!

LOOK! THE BIG DRUM I DOT WITH THAT DOLLAR!

DOETHN'T SAY WHAT THEY ON THALE, DOETH IT?

WHAT! NO SPINACH?

**REAL ESTATE IN PECHAN'S NAME WORTH \$100,000**

Property Not Listed on Books of Missing Dealer Found by Auditors of His Accounts.

**HOPEFUL SIGN FOR HIS CREDITORS**

If Found Not to Be Incumbered May Materially Reduce Clients' Losses Estimated at \$250,000.

Auditors at work on the real estate accounts of Thomas F. Pechan, real estate dealer at Twelfth street and Russell boulevard, who has been missing from his office and home since last Tuesday, today discovered that he had real estate valued at about \$100,000 in his own name of which there is no record on his books.

An immediate investigation was set on foot to determine if this property is incumbered and if any part of it can be salvaged for the benefit of Pechan's customers and creditors, who, it has been stated, may suffer losses aggregating \$250,000 through his alleged irregular transactions.

The discovery of this asset, it was said by Conrad Paeben, one of the attorneys for the receiver of the company, is a hopeful sign that losses to Pechan's customers may be reduced.

**State of the Inquiry.**

The auditors on Pechan's real estate accounts are hard at work to determine as quickly as possible to what extent his liabilities exceed his assets, said Paeben. "All we have been able to determine up to this time is that many persons will suffer losses through transactions in deeds of trust with Pechan. Some may lose their life savings. We have found many instances where it appears Pechan, in seeking to cover up certain irregular transactions, did other questionable things."

When asked if prosecution of Pechan would be instituted, Paeben said:

"It would not surprise me. That, however, is a matter for the people who have lost money through irregular transactions by Pechan."

**Left Wife Without Funds.**

It was learned today that Pechan took \$3000 cash from the real estate business with him when he left St. Louis a week ago after being confronted by Police Commissioner Kortjohn with irregularities in transactions affecting the Bohemian-American Building & Loan Association, of which he was secretary. He left his wife without funds and she now is being cared for by friends.

Kortjohn, attorney for the building and loan association, today said it appears at this time that the association's affairs will not be seriously involved in Pechan's failure. It seems that Pechan's operations were checked just as he was being about to go to the association for money with which to cover losing transactions in real estate.

Thirty blank paid-up stock certificates of the association are missing, and these are causing some uneasiness among the association. They were torn from the stock book in which they were bound, and nothing put on the stubs to show whether they were issued to customers.

**Stock Certificates Missing.**

Whether these were filled out and sold to customers or otherwise negotiated is yet to be determined. The certificates were not numbered by the printer. All other certificates issued were recorded on the books and have been checked with the accounts of customers. Any of the missing 30 that might appear in the hands of customers possibly would be a claim against the association.

A score of men and women, most of them Bohemian, countrymen of Pechan, with whom he had a large business, were in line at the office when they opened today to have their accounts with the association and real estate business checked by the auditors.

Most of them first inquired if Pechan is coming back. They are told he has not communicated with his office or family since his hasty departure.

**\$1,000,000 FOR MEAT PACKERS**

WASHINGTON, April 20.—The United States Court of Claims has awarded Armour & Co., meat packers, \$929,768 for bacon and canned meats ordered but not accepted by the Quartermaster-General during the World War. The company's claim was for \$1,077,879. An award of \$440,632 for "canceled" orders during the war was given Cavalry & Co., which had claimed \$3,004,641.

**CLOUDY, SOMEWHAT WARMER TONIGHT; SHOWERS TOMORROW**

**THE TEMPERATURES.**

4 a. m.	44	8 a. m.	47
6 a. m.	46	10 a. m.	50
8 a. m.	48	12 noon	53
10 a. m.	51	2 p. m.	57
12 noon	53	4 p. m.	61
2 p. m.	57	6 p. m.	65
4 p. m.	61	8 p. m.	68
6 p. m.	65	10 p. m.	71
8 p. m.	68	12 noon	74

Highest yesterday, 55, at 5 p. m.; lowest, 34, at 5 a. m.

**Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Increasing cloudiness tonight, followed by showers Wednesday; somewhat warmer tonight. Missouri: Increasing cloudiness, probably followed by showers beginning late tonight or Wednesday; warmer tonight; somewhat cooler Wednesday in west and north portions. Illinois: Increasing cloudiness and warmer tonight; Wednesday unsettled; some probability of showers or or before night; warmer in southeast portion. Arkansas: Tonight and Wednesday, partly cloudy to unsettled; warmer tonight and in east portion Wednesday. Sunset, 6:43; sunrise (tomorrow) 5:16. Stage of the Mississippi, 15 feet, a fall of .6.**

**WORKERS DIGGING TO RESCUE ENTOMBED MEN HEAR SIGNALS**

Three Distinct Taps Reported in Grizzly Creek Tunnel, Near Quincy, Cal.

By the Associated Press. QUINCY, Cal., April 20.—Three distinct taps were reported heard today by rescuers who are digging away the cave-in that entombed six miners last Saturday night in the Grizzly Creek tunnel, near here. The rescue squad had 12 feet of rock and dirt to remove before they reached the place in the tunnel where the miners were working.

The rescue crews are proceeding carefully, because of the possibility of finding some of the slide victims in the 12 feet that remain to be pierced. Due to these precautions and the necessity of timbering against more slides, it probably will be late today before they reach the place in which the men were trapped.

The cave-in, which imprisoned the miners, was caused by mud pockets in what was thought to be solid granite formation. A 75-foot pack of snow on the summit of the mountain through which an 1800-foot bore was being made, seeped through fissures to loosen the rock and mud and cause the cave-in.

The men were caught several hours before their plight was discovered at midnight Saturday. An air pipe line has worked continuously since the discovery.

**ONLY A TENTH OF AIR MAIL REQUIRED HERE IS SUPPLIED**

Instead of 250 Pounds, Pilot Took 25 Pounds to Chicago Yesterday.

Only a slight increase in the patronage given by St. Louis to the new air mail route to Chicago and continental air line points was recorded yesterday. Pilot Charles E. Lindbergh took only 25 pounds from this city, whereas 250 pounds are necessary to make the line pay.

During the four days on which the route has been operated the pilots have run on or ahead of schedule. Pilot Philip R. Love made the run from Chicago within time this morning, but he had to wait an hour for the transcontinental plane at Chicago, he landed at Lambert-St. Louis Field at 10:15 a. m. instead of at 9:15.

**B. & O. TO QUIT PASSENGER TERMINAL IN NEW YORK CITY**

To Return to Jersey City Station After Using Pennsylvania Facilities for Six Years.

By the Associated Press. BALTIMORE, Md., April 20.—Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, has confirmed reports that the road will vacate the Pennsylvania passenger terminal in New York on Sept. 1. Arrangements have been completed for a return of the Baltimore & Ohio to the passenger terminal of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, at Jersey City, Willard said.

The Pennsylvania Railroad has decided that the facilities now used by the Baltimore & Ohio hereafter will be needed for its own purposes and the withdrawal will not be contested before the Interstate Commerce Commission. The Baltimore & Ohio first entered the Pennsylvania terminal six years ago as an emergency arrangement under Federal control.

**27,403 RECALL SIGNATURES**

Committee Announces Addition of 2196 in 24 Hours.

Signature to the petitions for the recall of Mayor Miller aggregate 27,403, the Miller-Recall Committee announced today. 2196 additional ones having been obtained in the last 24 hours. A minimum of 60,456 is needed.

**SECOND OPPONENT OF PRIZE FIGHTER DIES AFTER BOUT**

Clever Sencio, Midget Filipino, Had Fought Buddy Taylor, of Terre Haute, Ind., in Milwaukee.

**FOUND DEAD IN BED IN HOTEL ROOM**

In 1924, New York Bantam Collapsed After Contest With Indian and Died in Hospital.

By the Associated Press. MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 20.—Clever Sencio, midget Filipino boxer, died today, alone in his hotel room, after a 10-round engagement with Buddy Taylor, Terre Haute, Ind., challenger for the bantamweight title, here last night.

The 21-year-old Filipino was found upon his bed in a pool of blood.

Sencio died of cerebral hemorrhage. Drs. Edward L. Milosch and William Murphy reported after a postmortem.

At the District Attorney's office Taylor was advised that no action against him was contemplated.

Sencio, fighting a marvellously game fight, was on the verge of a collapse last night before the final bell, reeling about with hardly enough strength to deliver a blow.

The little boxer was the second Filipino fighter to die in America, and the second man who has died after a contest with Taylor.

Pancho Villa, former world's flyweight champion, died in San Francisco after his fight with Jimmy McLarnin, but his death was caused from blood poisoning. He went into the ring with McLarnin a year ago in July suffering from decayed teeth and with a jaw inflamed from an extraction and poison. He was punished severely about the head and blood poisoning developed.

**In U. S. Eight Months.**

Sencio, who aspired to make a better showing in America than did Villa, has been in this country about eight months. He had engaged in half a dozen minor matches and two of major importance. A contest with Fidel La Barba, the flyweight champion, in Los Angeles a month ago, and his match with Taylor.

Taylor only recently returned from California, where he defeated McLarnin. Frankie Jerome, a New York bantam, collapsed after a fight with Taylor, dying in a hospital in January, 1924. Taylor was considered.

Sencio, holding Taylor fairly even for nine rounds was near collapse at the finish of the tenth. He was fighting instinct alone that kept the Manila boy fighting. In the last round Taylor's corner hit Sencio with a right to the head, and he was so weakened and so nearly on the verge of falling that he could hardly raise his hands.

**Examined After Fight.**

After the contest Sencio was examined by physicians for the Wisconsin Boxing Commission. His condition apparently did not cause apprehension. He was removed to his hotel and seemed to be in fairly good condition. Bill Miller, representing Frank Churchill, Sencio's manager, remained with the boxer until 4:30 a. m.

Taylor said: "I wish I had been knocked out with the first punch. I don't want to have had that little Filipino die. My friends tell me that I am a great boxer, but they seem to forget the bad luck which has trailed me for the last few years. Perhaps I will have to give up boxing for a long time to forget the two fatalities."

**PRIEST WHO WAS SECRETARY TO GEN. FLORES FOUND SLAIN**

Father Esparragoza Murdered in His Bed, According to Mazatlan Dispatch.

By the Associated Press. NOGALIES, Ariz., April 20.—Father Gregorio Esparragoza, Catholic cure of Badiraguato, Sinaloa, Mexico, and intimate friend of the late Gen. Flores, was found murdered in his bed Sunday, according to a special dispatch today from Mazatlan, Sinaloa.

For several years Father Esparragoza was private secretary to Gen. Flores and knew his political life as few others did.

**Exoneration Comes in Dramatic Form for French Statesman Accused of Aiding Woman Spy**



MATA HARI.

**M. Messimy, French War Minister in 1914, Admits It Was He Who Wrote to Mata Hari and Not M. Malvy, Who Was Exiled for Five Years.**

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World. PARIS, April 20.—Gen. Adolphe Messimy, Minister of War during the first few weeks of the World War, was the author of the love letters to Mata Hari, Javanese dancing girl, executed as a spy. These letters created a sensation when read at his trial of former Minister of the Interior, M. Malvy.

Ever since that trial in 1915, when Malvy was found guilty of neglecting to defend France from spies and sentenced to five years' exile, it has been thought by most Frenchmen that he wrote the letters and was one of the dancer's many lovers.

The name of the man who penned the letters was never given, but since it became known that his name began with M and ended with y that he was a former Cabinet Minister, Malvy seemed definitely indicated, despite his insistent denial.

Now Gen. Messimy has sent a letter to the press admitting that he wrote the notes. He was in the Viviani Cabinet that took office after the 1914 elections and was replaced as War Minister by Alexander Millerand on Aug. 26, 1914. He later served at the head of a brigade.

**Frequently Told Story.**

Gen. Messimy declares that since 1918 he has hundreds of times told the same story of his correspondence with Mata Hari, and that he never made a mystery about it.

He doubts if the clear explanation he now gives will serve to abate the campaign against Malvy, although he wishes the reply might attract some of the anti-Malvy attacks in his own direction.

In his letter the General writes that Mata Hari, whose love affairs with men of prominence is most countries of Europe had captured the French imagination, used all her seductive charm for months in 1914 to bring him to her feet.

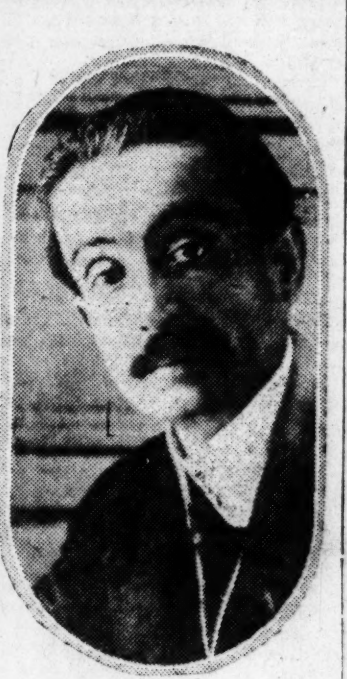
**Charming and Mysterious.**

"I thought her charming," the General writes, "but full of mystery. Tempting as she was, I was prudent enough to tell her so, and even write it."

Messimy says he cannot remember the terms he used in the letters, but thinks they must have been gentlemanly and careful, because I remember while writing them I reproached myself for over-prudence and stupidity renewing the story of Mme. Potiphar and her servants."

After going to the English town where the first tanks were being developed and winning the love of a young officer, she saw the tanks arrive in France and then went to Sen where she was seen with suspected German agents. She was arrested on her return to France and all her lovers could not save her.

Lost on a year after her execution.



LOUIS MALVY.

**12 MEN INJURED IN EXPLOSION ON SUBMARINE S-49**

30 Others Are Endangered When Fumes Seep to Other Parts of Craft at New London, Conn.

By the Associated Press. NEW LONDON, Conn., April 20.—Twelve men, members of the crew of S-49, which was moored at a dock at the Submarine Base, were injured this morning, when the after battery in the submarine exploded. All the men were taken to the base hospital and one may die.

The submarine, which returned from the Portsmouth navy yard, had been moored at her berth and her battery was under process of being charged throughout the night. Escaping gas fumes are thought to have been the cause of the explosion.

The explosion produced a tremendous concussion which hurled the dozen men in the steel-walled compartment against the sides of the chamber.

Immediately after the explosion the Submarine Base fire alarm was sounded, taking scores of men to the scene, equipped with gas masks. The rescuers dropped into the submarine and carried out their injured comrades.

There were about 30 men in the forward battery and torpedo room, the scene of the explosion. Apparently little injury to the forward chambers, endangering the lives of the men there.

Navy officials declined to reveal the nature of the injuries of the men, but it is known that all of them suffered broken arms and legs and possible internal injuries. The injured included Sylvester Erie Mallock, fireman, second class, Charleston, Ill.

**EX-PARTNER OF GOV. SMITH HELD IN HUGE LIQUOR PLOT**

Edward Kelly, Trucking Company Head, New Figure in Alleged Syndicate.

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, April 20.—Edward Kelly, heretofore unmentioned in the annals of the so-called William Dwyer \$25,000,000 liquor syndicate, and a former vice president of the United States Trucking Corporation, was arrested at his home yesterday charged with conspiring to violate the prohibition law and the bribery of Coast Guard officers.

Kelly, according to United States District Attorney Buckner, is one of the leaders of the alleged syndicate and was named in two indictments returned by a December Federal grand jury which indicted 61 persons as members of the organization.

Kelly was held for trial in bail of \$40,000. According to the first report, Kelly was furnished by Daniel Riordan who, with Gov. Smith, was formerly associated with the trucking company. It later developed that the surety was signed by a James R. Reardon of 380 Wall Street.

The syndicate, with which Kelly was connected, was alleged to have operated 18 ocean-going steamers in liquor trade.

**KELLOGG SAYS U. S. WILL AID IN ARMS LIMITATION**

Declares There Is Danger of Naval Competition on Types Not Mentioned in Washington Treaty.

**DEFENDS TREATY WITH TURKEY**

Tells Associated Press Members Criticisms of Lausanne Pact Are "Negative"—Tacna Dispute.

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, April 20.—American international policies were discussed by Secretary of State Kellogg in an address at the annual luncheon of the Associated Press.

On the question of armament limitation, the Secretary said the United States Government would "welcome an agreement which would complete the work begun in Washington" at the 1921 conference, "particularly as there is danger that the competitive construction when formerly existed, particularly with respect to capital ships, may still be continued, in a less aggravated form, with respect to cruisers and other types of naval craft not dealt with by the Washington treaties."

Kellogg pledged that the delegates from the United States to the preliminary armaments conference in Geneva would "use their influence in favor of projects which may be practical in their application and realizable in their development."

To this end, he said, the American representatives would "help to the utmost of their ability in preparing the way for agreements for the further limitation of naval armaments for a definite date."

**American Cooperation.**

"Each definite move toward disarmament, small though it be, is of greater value for the promotion of world peace than ambition and all-inclusive projects, which may be excellent in theory but which fail to take account of existing world problems."

"The questions which have been submitted for the consideration of the preparatory commission are very general and sweeping in character and until there has been some discussion it is impossible to determine what definite proposals can most profitably be advanced but when the most practicable line of action is determined this Government can be counted on to co-operate within the limits of its traditional policy in any serious effort toward further limitations of the burden of armaments."

Regarding the limitation of land armaments, Kellogg said this country already had voluntarily reduced to the minimum, and added:

"We have every reason to rejoice that our situation has permitted this, but this is a justifiable feeling from the different problems with which other countries are faced. We would naturally welcome any steps which other Powers might take toward the limitation of land armaments; we shall be glad if we can at any time exert a helpful influence in this direction."

**Endeavors in China.**

The situation in China has to be viewed, the secretary said, in the perspective of that country's history.

"We have endeavored, and we are endeavoring," he said, "to carry out those promises solemnly made to the Chinese people in the covenants adopted at the Washington conference and the Extra-Territorial Commission are still sitting in Peking, are making progress and are carrying out the mandates dictated by the Washington conference."

As to the treaty situation between the United States and Turkey, Kellogg said, there had been no departure from the traditional, typical American policy.

"We have endeavored to afford proper protection to all legitimate American activities in Turkey," he added, referring to the pending Lausanne convention. Criticism directed against this treaty was described as "negative," and the speaker asserted "this Government overlooks its foreign policy with negatives."

**Tacna-Arica Dispute.**

The Secretary referred to the arbitration and mediation negotiations undertaken by this Government to adjust the Tacna-Arica dispute between Chile and Peru. He reminded the audience, particularly the Latin-American journalists present, that the true policy contained "no desire for imperialism."

**Juries Cut London Taxi Prices.**

By the Associated Press. LONDON, April 20.—Juries are about to cut the London taxi high cost of "taxicabbing." They have two seats in contrast to the four-seated ones, which charge more. The name comes from Joynson-Hicks, Home Secretary.

**CHECK TRANSMITTED ACROSS OCEAN BY PHOTO AND RADIO**

**Gen. Harbord in London Sends \$1000 Order to Corporation in U. S.**

By the Associated Press. LONDON, April 20.—For the first time in the history of banking, a check has been transmitted photographically across the ocean by wireless, and will be duly honored if there are no legal impediments. The check for \$1000 was drawn by Gen. J. G. Harbord on the Bankers' Trust Co. in favor of the Radio Corporation of America, of which Gen. Harbord is president. It was transmitted from Marconi headquarters here this afternoon by the system invented by Capt. Richard H. Ranger.

American Ambassador Houghton attended the demonstration of the apparatus, and sent the first message, addressed to the Rev. Samuel Smith Drury, rector of his old school, St. Paul's at Concord, N. H. The message follows:

"This is the first message reproduced by wireless across the Atlantic. I send it to you with best wishes."

Owen D. Young sent the reproduction of part of an autograph manuscript of Robert Browning to St. Lawrence University, Canton, N. Y., for its library. Then Gen. Harbord and Young sent joint greetings to Vice President Dawes. Reception in the United States was confirmed within 20 minutes by regular Morse signals.

**NEW YORK LEGISLATURE VOTES FOR DRY REFERENDUM**

Measure Now in Hands of Gov. Smith—Form of Question Framed by Root.

By the Associated Press. ALBANY, N. Y., April 20.—A bill for a State referendum on prohibition modification, passed by the Legislature, is in the friendly hands of Gov. Smith. Prohibitionists threaten to refrain from voting on the matter at its passage in the Senate last night, and becomes a law if signed by the Governor. Gov. Smith is known to favor a referendum, although he refrained from commenting on the bill while it was before the Legislature.

The referendum act provides that the voters shall pass on this question:

"Should the Congress of the United States modify the Federal act to enforce the Eighteenth Amendment so that it shall not prohibit the manufacture, sale, transportation, importation or exportation of beverages which are not in fact intoxicating as determined in accord with the laws of the respective states?"

The question was framed by Elihu Root.

**CITY TAX ON THEATERS AND RESTAURANTS IN WIMER BILL**

Alderman Introduces Measure Which Includes Sales Boost for Board Members.

A bill to increase municipal admission tax on theaters, motion picture houses, and restaurants and hotels where cover charges are made, was introduced by Alderman Wimer today in the Board of Aldermen at the first meeting of the fiscal year 1926-27. Alderman Wimer would charge one mill tax for each 50 cents of admission or fraction thereof, believing the measure would net the city \$50,000 a year in revenue.

At present restaurants and hotels are not taxed for admissions. Theaters and picture houses pay a flat tax of \$150 yearly regardless of seating capacity or amount of admission.

Wimer also introduced a bill to increase annual salaries of Aldermen from \$1800 to \$3000 and the members of the Board from \$3000 to \$5000.

Mayor Miller again expressed the hope that the board would continue to co-operate with him.

**COAST GUARDS' BRIBERY TRIAL**

Six Men of New Jersey Crew Charged With Taking \$10,000.

By the Associated Press. CAPE MAY, N. J., April 20.—Charged with accepting \$10,000 in bribes in connection with the liquor seizure at Rancocas Creek, six men of the coast guard were arraigned here today before a court-martial board, behind closed doors.

The accused men—Henry Manning, Johannes N. Rasmussen, Rolfe C. Kirk, L. D. Riggs, J. B. Weisbar and Eugene Edwards—were boatswains operating in the rum fleet when a cargo of high-grade liquor valued at \$250,000 was seized last October. With the exception of Manning, they are alleged to have accepted bribes of \$2000 each from Earl Maxwell of Wildwood for "protection." Manning was said to have inadvertently gotten into the alleged deal and each of the five are charged with having contributed \$100 as the price of his silence.

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**U. S. DRY DIRECTOR AT \$500 A MONTH ALSO ON PAYROLL OF STEEL TRUST**

**Frederick C. Baird of Pittsburgh District Tells Senators E. H. Gary Suggested Him for Job.**

**THINKS PROHIBITION CAN BE ENFORCED**

Gives Government Part Time Service—but "That's All It Needs"—Answers Carnegie Institute Head.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, N. C., April 20.—Frederick C. Baird, prohibition administrator for the western district of Pennsylvania at Pittsburgh, was an interesting witness for the dries at the Senate prohibition hearing today, testifying that he had been recommended for his post by E. H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, and that he received \$500 a month from the Government, while still receiving his salary from a steel corporation railroad for which he is traffic manager and to which he gives part of his time.

Baird related his experiences with law breakers and assured the committee that the law could be enforced.

He denied testimony given previously by Dr. Samuel Harden Church, president of Carnegie Institute, whose automobile, he said, had been seized some time ago on the Canadian border, loaded with liquor.

Baird testified that between Sept. 1 and March 31 his force seized 98,096 gallons of synthetic whiskey and 161,467 gallons of alcohol, beer and wine in transit; eight "wild cat" breweries; six alcohol rectifying plants, and 298 commercial stills.

**\$1.92 to Do \$1000 Damage.**

It cost our organization \$1.92 for every \$1000 of damage inflicted on the bootleggers," he said. "I think this is indicative of the fact that the law can be enforced."

Questioned by Senator Reed of Missouri, the witness said he had been traffic manager of the Bessemer & Lake Erie Railroad when he was designated by his superiors to reorganize the enforcement forces in Western Pennsylvania.

"Who selected you?" Judge Gary (chairman of the United States Steel Corporation), suggested that I be selected. He was requested by the Government to recommend men for these jobs."

"The Bessemer & Lake Erie is a steel trust road?" "Yes."

"What do you get out of your job?" "Five hundred dollars a month now. I also am getting my salary from the railroad."

"You continue to work for the road, although the Government pays you for all your time?" "I give 12 or 15 hours a day to the Government. I give more than the Government."

**Church Leaders Take Stand.**

This morning the committee had heard a distinguished group of religious leaders, all of whom had signed the Volstead act as it stands. The church witnesses, headed by Bishop William F. McDowell of the Methodist Church, occupied most of the morning session of the committee, and when Senator Reed, the only wet member, sought unsuccessfully to dispense with the afternoon meeting he started a row which later led to a debate on the Senate floor.

Reed said he wanted to spend the afternoon working on a speech on the Italian debt, and some of his wet colleagues complained that the committee was not giving the wets a square deal, but the argument led nowhere.

When the afternoon session began Reed was on hand to continue his cross-examination of witnesses.

What particularly got under the skin of Reed at the morning hearing was the statement by a Kansas City witness, Dr. A. J. Barton, of the Southern Baptist convention, that prohibition had practically wiped out the slum districts of St. Louis and Kansas City.

"Do you mean to tell the committee," asked Reed after Dr. Barton had finished his prepared statement, "that the slums have disappeared in Kansas City?" "Practically so," repeated the witness.

"Tell me," said Reed, "what particular part of Kansas City has been made better?" The witness named a section on Wyandotte street.

"Don't you know," said Reed, "Continued on Page 2, Column 2."

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## ORGANIZATION OF HOME BUILDING FIRM DESCRIBED

Testimony as to Founding of Concern Which Collapsed After \$282,000 Was Invested in It Given

MINUTES SHOW NATIONS HELD STOCK Meeting of Directors Held in Office of Former Dry Agent, One of Four Men on Trial.

Sales methods of the Federal Home Building Corporation, by which persons hoping to own homes succeeded in building the homes more cheaply than contractors could, were described before Federal Judge Davis today, in the trial of four officers of the company, charged with using the mails to defraud, and of conspiracy. The company collapsed after investors had put \$282,000 into the purchase of its contracts.

Those on trial are Christian W. Beck, president of the corporation; Gus O. Nations, its secretary; formerly Chief Federal Prohibition Agent here; Edward J. Barrett, general manager, and Eugene H. Paulus, a director. The indictment against David Beckett, vice president, and J. H. Beck, secretary, dismissed by the Government at the opening of the trial yesterday.

John J. Westling, sales manager for the company, testifying today, said he consulted with C. W. Beck and Barrett as to the sales talk which the force of salesmen, numbering at different times from 15 to 25, should use. The line followed was that the company could build at lower cost than any other, because it could get materials at a lower price.

He told how the company moved from plain quarters in the Carleton Building to an entire floor in the Tower Building, where the president had a mahogany desk and window draperies. The meetings of salesmen were held daily, he said, and were addressed by Beck, Barrett and himself.

If a prospect had a lot, Westling said, the salesman would tell him the company would build him a house, on receiving a payment of 20 per cent of the cost. If he did not have a lot, the company would arrange both for purchase of a lot and erection of a house.

"Beck and Barrett told me to tell prospects that they could finance all the buildings that the salesmen could take contracts for," Westling testified. He said the salesmen received 4 per cent, out of the 20 per cent share of down payments retained by Beck and Barrett, and that he as sales manager got 1 per cent, leaving 15 per cent for Beck and Barrett.

By the company's minute book, introduced in evidence today, the Government showed that on Oct. 27, 1922, C. W. and J. H. Beck, Nations, Paulus and Beckett met in Nations' law office in the International Life Building. There the minutes showed, they signed the subscription list to the stock of the company, the capitalization being \$25,000 in 250 \$100 shares. The record showed C. W. Beckett as a subscriber for 125 shares, J. H. Beck for 10, Paulus and Beckett for five each, and Nations for 50. Nations will state, in his defense, that the stock was given him temporarily as security for his fee.

**50 Per Cent of Stock Paid Up.** The minute book affirms that more than 50 per cent of the capital stock had been subscribed and actually paid for. The five men constituted the first Board of Directors, and were chosen as such for one year. The first meeting of stockholders was held in Nations' office Oct. 28, and the record shows that the five were present.

The directors met in the same place later on Oct. 28, and elected C. W. Beck president and treasurer and J. H. Beck, secretary. It is shown that the president's commission was fixed by the directors at 20 per cent of all first down payments, and it was provided that out of this percentage the president was to pay commissions of salesmen. After Barrett entered the company this was changed so that he shared the 20 per cent with Beck.

It was shown that Nations resigned as director June 20, 1923, and that Barrett was elected to succeed him as director, and that Beckett resigned as vice president and director, whereupon Barrett was made vice president. The \$5500 stock not issued previously was divided proportionately among the holders of the \$19,500 issue, but Nations did not participate in this stock dividend. A proposal of Barrett, that a company in which he was interested, dealing in deeds and mortgages, should take over the Federal Home Building company, was not adopted.

The minutes show that at the final meeting of directors, Aug. 22, 1923, Barrett introduced a resolution consenting to the receivership of the company, and that Beck and Paulus, adopted it.

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# Dry Charges Wet Plot to Draw Alien Bootleggers to U. S.

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"that the improvement there is because that section has become a part of the business section of the city?" "It has been renovated by the removal of the liquor traffic," asserted Dr. Barton.

Reed lifted his eyebrows. "You don't mean to say," he asked, "that those business blocks have gone in there because of prohibition?" "I do," responded the witness.

"I think that will be all," said Reed, and his manner was quite eloquent of his opinion of his fellow Kansas Cityan's testimony. Reed left the room shortly after, and so that the next witness got off without cross-examination.

**Church Day: Drys Take Offensive.** For church day at the great wet and dry debate every seat in the committee room was taken and a standing crowd was massed in the rear.

Evidently believing in the military axiom that an attack is the best defense, the church leaders continued not only to argue against any liberal modification of the Volstead act, but to demand that it be made more stringent and its enforcement be placed in the hands of officials wholly in sympathy with its purposes.

This was the tenor of the testimony given by Bishop William Fraser McDowell, resident bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Washington and president of the Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals of that church, and by Dr. Clarence Wilson, general secretary of the board.

"Considering everything," said Dr. Wilson, "we are well satisfied with the results of prohibition. We did not expect the millennium. Prohibition was intended to outlaw the liquor traffic, to remove legal temptation from the pathway of the citizen, and to break the power of the brewers and distillers."

"We are not altogether satisfied with some of the efforts at enforcement. A man who does not believe in prohibition should never be appointed an enforcement officer."

"We are not certain changes in the law. We ask that the buyer of bootleg liquor be punished equally with the seller. Second, we ask that violations in every instance should be met with a jail sentence and not merely a fine. And third, we want a bill passed that will bring about the deportation of an alien coming to this country to violate the law."

That last statement got the instant attention of the Missouri Senator. Did the witness actually believe that foreigners were being solicited to come over here and engage in the bootlegging trade?

"There is no doubt," repeated Dr. Wilson, "that aliens are being brought here to violate the law. Statistics show that a large proportion of those engaged in the business are aliens."

Reed sought to pin the witness down to exact facts and figures. He said he would supply Government figures later.

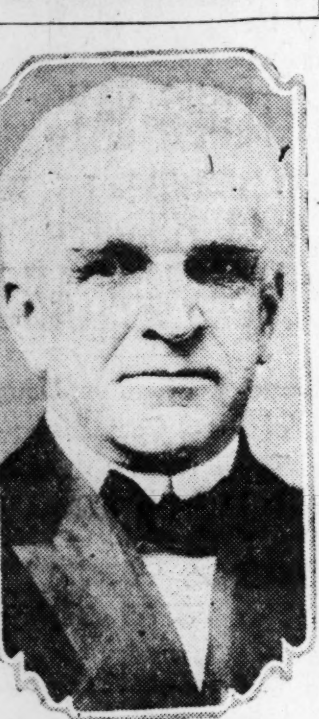
"Our board," continued the witness, "has agents in France, Germany, Austria, Hungary and other countries, and they tell us that promises are being made to men over there that if they will come to the United States they can get rich in the bootlegging business in a year or two."

**Blames U. S. Liquor Interests.** Reed wanted to know whether such promises were being made by representatives of liquor interests or by relatives of the aliens.

"I think they are the agents of liquor interests," said Dr. Wilson. "Now I want to get you down to facts," said Reed. "You have charged that liquor interests are inducing people to come here from Europe and engage in bootlegging. I want to know what interests are doing that. I want their names. If anybody is doing that, he is violating the law. Do you know of any liquor interests that have sent agents to Europe?"

Dr. Wilson said that his information was based on the reports of his representatives on the other side. He did not have any names to supply.

## ON STAND FOR DRYS



BISHOP W. F. McDOWELL.

## TESTIMONY GIVEN AT MONDAY'S SESSION

AN account of the evidence given Monday in Washington before the Senate subcommittee investigating the operation of the Volstead law, is printed on page 27 of this issue of the Post-Dispatch.

Coolidge had called it a "salutary law."

"We deny emphatically," he said, "that the young people are consuming liquor in quantities or that they are being morally degraded by the operation of the prohibition law."

**Young Methodists Don't Drink.** "The young people of our church are certainly not drinking. So rare is any consumption of liquor by young Methodists that it is a scandal and a shock to the home, the church and the community, a spectacular disgrace by no means typical of general behavior. There is no drinking among young people, of course, but it is very much less frequent than when saloons beckoned an invitation from many corners."

Dr. Wilson said that prohibition had brought about a great deal of improvement in the diet of the working classes. He pointed to an increase in the consumption by American children of milk, butter, fresh vegetables and fruits. The household consumption of milk for the dry year 1922, he said, was 50 gallons per capita, as compared with 42 1/2 per capita in the wet year of 1917.

That last point Dr. Wilson asked for permission to file the balance of his paper without reading so that witnesses from out-of-town might not be delayed. The permission was granted by the reservation that Reed should have the right to cross-examine him later.

**Bishop Wants Law More Severe.** Bishop McDowell, declaring that the Methodist church wanted only such changes in the Volstead act as would make it more effective, read an official declaration of the church in which it recorded "its grateful thanks to God Almighty for national constitutional prohibition of the beverage liquor traffic."

"The real issue before the American people today," said Bishop McDowell, "is whether the prohibition amendment and the Federal prohibitory law are to be nullified by a law-defying minority which insists upon flagrantly showing its contempt for the emphatically expressed and properly recorded will of the American people."

"We do not think that the difficulties in the enforcement of the law constitute a sufficient reason for the restoration of an evil like the liquor business which has steadily disobeyed all laws passed for its restriction."

"We come here to declare our conviction that people who have freely violated the laws and the Constitution of the United States, some of whom have sworn to defend the laws and the Constitution and have violated these laws," said he, "without compunction of conscience have no standing in this court."

**Lawbreakers Not Lawmakers.** "Law-breakers are not in a position to be lawmakers or law makers," Reed caught at the expression regarding the violation of the law by some who had sworn to defend it. Bishop McDowell, questioned as to his exact meaning, said that some of the early witnesses at the hearing had testified that many had violated the law "without compunction of conscience."

"Do you know or anyone who has come before this committee to advocate a change in this law who is a lawbreaker?" asked Reed. "I am not testifying against any individual," replied the Bishop. He added that he only meant to say what he had stated in his prepared remarks.

"The import of your paper," said Reed, "is that everybody who has been here to advocate a change in the law is a lawbreaker or engaged in the liquor business."

"I have not said that," mildly replied the Bishop and the colloquy ended.

Dr. Barton in his remarks leading up to his statement about improved conditions in Missouri said that he came on behalf of 3,500,000 white Baptists to protest earnestly against any weakening of the Volstead act.

"The Baptists of the South," declared Dr. Barton, "are a unit for prohibition. It has brought untold benefits and blessings to our people."

Repeating what was said the other day by Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale, the witness declared that even one glass of mild beer was sufficient to lower materially the efficiency of the individual.

**Cities Completely Transformed.** "In Missouri, even in St. Louis and Kansas City," said the witness, "the complete transformation has been wrought by prohibition. The slums have almost wholly disappeared. Saloons have given way to banks and shops. This transformation has been wrought throughout the South. You can cross the entire continent today and not see a drunken man."

Opposing a referendum on prohibition, the witness said that there was no provision for such a referendum in the Constitution. He approved approvingly a statement by Henry Ford that the United States is "dry by moral conviction."

The wet newspapers of the city he said did not truly reflect the opinion of the great mass of the people.

Dr. Barton sought to introduce a program which had been sent to him by a Negro Baptist leader. Reed objected to the receipt of unsworn testimony. He declared that if the telegram were admitted the door would be opened to a flood of sensationalism on the other side.

After a wrangle in the committee it was decided not to receive the telegram.

Charges of wet witnesses that prohibition had corrupted American youth were declared false by Dr. David A. Poling of New York, president of the United Christian Endeavor.

**Youth as Fine as Ever Today.** "American youth is as intrinsically fine today as youth has ever been," Dr. Poling said. "The real problem that the youth of America faces is not so much the problem of its own problem as it is the problem of its adult associates. My observation convinces me that it is not so much the juvenile delinquent as it is the grown-up flapper who needs the attention of psychologists, religionists and officers of the law."

"Stop slandering youth! Our boys and girls need today not preaching and denunciation, but good examples!"

"I concede the right of those who have entered these statements upon the record which brand youth as corrupted by prohibition to speak only for young people with whom they are acquainted. They do not represent my friends; they do not represent the young people I know—they do not represent young people generally."

"These statements, with regard to youth, are brother to another made here by a woman, a representative from New Jersey, on Wednesday, April 14, as follows: 'The Anti-Saloon League and the prohibition party in general have resorted to every low-down trait of tactics that can be thought of to strengthen the cause of prohibition.' As prohibitionists, surely we should be conceded a residue of 'low-downness' not yet resorted to but available."

**Answers Pittsburg Editor.** "I have the honor to serve as president of an organization that enrolled in the United States more than 2,500,000 young men and women. I am acquainted with representative young people in every considerable community. These are not law breakers. These are law-abiding citizens who are being found supporting law enforcement and registering against the law's nullification, modification and repeal."

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At the request of Senator David A. Reed (Rep.) Pennsylvania, the testimony of the churchmen was interrupted to permit Administrator Baird to reply to the recent testimony of Dr. Samuel Harden Church, president of Carnegie Institute.

Declaring that he has a son and daughter in Carnegie, Baird took exception to Dr. Church's statement as to conditions among the students.

"We have investigated conditions among the students," he said, "and we have found no derelictions. If there were any, they were so covered up as not to be obvious."

"The aspersions were particularly unwarranted and unfair about young men and women, many of whom are working their way through school. 'If I believe 'Young people' who have the moral courage to do that should have the whole-hearted co-operation of the people."

"Dr. Church is the president of this institute. If the trustees of that institute do not give serious consideration to his statements, then the trustees themselves, should be investigated."

**Explains Killings by Raiders.** Baird explained two cases of killing by prohibition agents, claimed by Dr. Church, and denied that agents searched 300 men and women patrons during a raid on Nixon's restaurant in Pittsburg.

Senator Walsh (Dem.) of Montana, asked "what animus" there might have been behind Dr. Church's charges. "I believe there is an animus," Baird replied. "The only thing I can think of is that one of his cars loaded with liquor was seized on the Canadian border and it cost him \$1000 to get the car back."

"Was any member of his family in the car?" "Not that I know of."

"Was there anything to connect him with the car? Nothing except that he paid the fines for the man who was running the car."

Baird said he did not know whether Dr. Church's chauffeur was driving the car, but insisted that it was a "matter of common knowledge that it was his car."

**Missouri Outvoted.** Senator Reed of Missouri wanted adjournment until tomorrow, explaining that he wanted to prepare a speech on the Italian debt settlement. He said he would have been in the Senate for the public building bill. On motion to adjourn until tomorrow the committee voted 2 to 1 in the negative, Harrell and Goff outvoting Reed.

"I can't be here and you won't be here," Reed said to Harrell. "Then there will be only one member of the subcommittee here. That is contrary to precedent, and if necessary I'll take the matter to the floor of the Senate."

Reed made good his threat when the Senate convened. He reviewed the controversy in the committee room and entered his protest against the committee meeting without a quorum.

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that the resolution be adopted by unanimous consent. Objections by Harrell and Walsh defeated it.

**Dr. Church Gives Version of Seizure of His Auto.** By the Associated Press. PITTSBURG, Pa., April 20.—Mentioning this afternoon on testimony given before the Senate Prohibition Committee by Prohibition Administrator Baird to the recent testimony of Dr. Samuel Harden Church, president of Carnegie Institute, denied that it cost him \$1000 to get possession of his automobile after it had been captured by dry agents near the Canadian border.

"In the summer of 1923," said Dr. Church, "while I was in Pittsburg, my son, together with another boy, drove my machine from Bretton Woods, N. H., to Canada. On their return the car was stopped and found to contain a supply of liquor. Both boys were arrested and released immediately on their own word of honor. They were not indicted, but when brought before Judge Howe of the United States Court, were fined \$1 each. The car was confiscated, but when proved that it was my car and that I had no knowledge of the transaction, it was released."

He added that Baird's testimony concerning payment of \$1000 was "not correct."

**Drinking Story Exaggerated, Says Pennsylvania U. Bail.** PHILADELPHIA, April 20.—Charges of drinking at the recent Interfraternity ball of the University of Pennsylvania were "exaggerated and unjustified," the Pennsylvania university daily, asserts in an editorial.

The allegations were made by Dr. Lynn H. Harris, president of Beaver College, a girls' institution of Jenkintown, Pa., in a letter to Dr. J. H. Pennington, president of the University of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Harris said that no more young women from his school would be allowed to attend social functions at the university unless the conditions were corrected.

"It is the old story of a few conspicuous cases being taken as the criterion by which the whole is judged," says the Pennsylvania. "Our critics did not take into consideration that for every man and woman under the influence of liquor, a large number were not."

**Arsenic in Flour Kills Woman.** Special to the Post-Dispatch. LEXINGTON, Ky., April 20.—Authorities at Richmond are investigating the death of Mrs. Mary Ann Willis, 56 years old, from poison, and the critical illness of her husband, William Willis, 74. Several guests at the Willis home also were made ill by eating biscuits made from flour containing arsenic, as disclosed by a preliminary examination of bread crumbs today by Dr. A. Linwood Brown of the University of Kentucky laboratory here.

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## REED TAKES ROW OVER DRY HEARING TO SENATE FLOOR

Appeals When Subcommittee Overrules Objection to Holding Afternoon Sessions.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—The wet and dry controversy reached the floor of the Senate today when Senator Reed of Missouri protested against the Senate Judiciary Committee's holding hearings this afternoon without a quorum.

Reed's move was the fulfillment of a threat he made at the conclusion of the morning session of the committee, and marked the culmination of frequent clashes with Senator Harrell of Oklahoma, chairman of the committee, who has insisted upon afternoon sessions.

At the committee hearing, Reed of Missouri was supported in his proposal for adjournment until 10 a. m. tomorrow by Senator David A. Reed (Rep.) of Pennsylvania, who had introduced Fred C. Baird, prohibition administrator for the Pittsburg, Pa., district. On the floor, the Missouri Senator was aided by Senators Edge of New Jersey and Bruce of Maryland, both of whom have bills for modification of the Volstead act before the subcommittee.

**Adjournment Order Blocked.** Edge sought unanimous consent for the consideration of a resolution instructing the subcommittee to adjourn until after the vote on the Italian debt settlement tomorrow afternoon. Harrell moved that the resolution be passed over, and Walsh of Montana formally objected to its consideration, so the proposal was lost.

Bruce told the Senate that he was not surprised at the failure of the dry members of the committee to show Reed the usual courtesies. Bruce began his remarks after Reed had reviewed the circumstances of the controversy in the committee. Bruce said that the Senate might expect some explanation from the subcommittee members. "For my part, I do not expect justice from that subcommittee," he declared.

Harrell, accepting the Bruce statement as a challenge, said that he was chairman of the "unchallenged committee." He explained that the members had agreed to sit four hours a day and that the would require afternoon sessions. He stated that witnesses had been subpoenaed from all parts of the country and some had been waiting several days to testify.

Reed interrupted him to state that no witnesses had been subpoenaed; that he had made formal application for subpoenas, only to be refused; and that the dry witnesses were here only in response to subpoenas from the chairman or the heads of their own organizations.

Walsh said that he would not have injected himself in the debate if it had not been for Bruce's remark that he did not expect justice from the subcommittee. Walsh supported Harrell's contention that the rule of the majority must prevail. He wanted to know what measure of justice Bruce desired.

"I do not expect justice from the Senate of Montana," Bruce replied testily. He did all in his power to keep up the hearing in the face of the greatest lawlessness since he made the statement that he expected capital punishment for violation of the Volstead act.

Harrell made a point of personal privilege and raised the floor. He stated that Bruce had misquoted him, and gained the \$100 privilege and raised the floor. He stated that Bruce had misquoted him, and gained the \$100 privilege and raised the floor.

"What I really said," he explained, "was in connection with testimony we heard to the effect that in Baltimore, large families were being raised. I said that the man who ran a still in front of his children should be guilty of a felony and punished as such. That is the statement I made then, and that's what I believe now."

Bruce said he was willing to accept Harrell's statement of fact, but that it did not make any difference in the conclusions. The fight started in the committee room when Reed explained that he wanted at least an hour to cross-examine Prohibition Administrator Baird, who had categorically denied statements by President Samuel Harden Church of the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburg.

Reed explained that he wanted to prepare a speech against the Italian debt settlement and asked that he be permitted to remain in Washington until tomorrow morning.

Wayne B. Wheeler interrupted to state that United States District Attorney Olson of Chicago had been scheduled for this afternoon and that he had to leave at 3 p. m.

Reed contended that the Italian debt settlement, which involved billions of dollars, should not be interfered with by the committee members. At that point Reed was outvoted by Harrell and Goff.

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Mrs. Maud Park Wood, former national president, now the League's legislative representative before Congress, led the opposition to the minority motion, which added to the general enforcement resolution the clause: "We urge Congress to resist all attempts to undermine or weaken the provisions of the Eighteenth amendment and the Volstead act."

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## Girl Scouts Like Hammer and Saw Better Than Needle and Thread



### 500 of Them Hear National Leaders Speak at Soldan High School — They Show Little Interest in Poetry.

Just as their older sisters seem to prefer a typewriter to a vacuum cleaner, 500 girls in their teens who met Girl Scout leaders yesterday afternoon at Soldan High School voiced an enthusiastic preference for the saw and hammer over the traditional, girlish, modest and domestic needle and thread.

Nominally the speakers were Miss Sarah Louise Arnold of Boston, national president of Girl Scouts, and Miss Helen Farris, editor of "American Girl," a Girl Scout magazine, and Miss Sarah Louise Arnold, national president, below is Mrs. Herbert Hoover, wife of the Secretary of Commerce and chairman of the National Executive Committee.

Three leaders of the Girl Scout movement, in St. Louis, attended the national convention. Above are: Miss Helen Farris (left), editor of "American Girl," a Girl Scout magazine, and Miss Sarah Louise Arnold, national president, below is Mrs. Herbert Hoover, wife of the Secretary of Commerce and chairman of the National Executive Committee.

Then, at a Duluth water festival one day, she saw a girl sinking. The Scout ran to the edge of a pier. She knew the water was shallow, but she gave out, fracturing her jaw. Just the same she went on and rescued the swimmer, and not long ago a life-saving medal was pinned on her blouse by Miss Arnold.

"And that seemed to her the only thing to do," Miss Arnold remarked. "That is the way with Girl Scouts. We get used every day to stand up to everything, and by and by do it without thinking, even when it becomes what others consider sheer heroism."

Poetry Not Popular.

In an interview before the meeting, Miss Farris, who has written two books about girls and collected data on their reading tastes so substantial that it has been taken as material for research in Columbia University, said that their preference was first for mystery, then adventure and then school or college stories.

"Their tastes are so nearly the same as those of boys of the same age," she remarked, "that the most popular boys' author are the most popular for girls. Both like lots of action, and both like plausible, true-to-life stories. One of the things I told me that her son tried to get home before his sister when the American Girl arrived, so that he could hide it from her and read it first."

Story of Rescue.

Miss Arnold told another story. A Scout up in Duluth nearly lost the use of an arm by infantile paralysis. She had been taught to face everything squarely, so she never coddled that arm, but made it do everything the other one could. It was years before she could use it well enough to swim.

Speakers referred to the fact that 80 national women's organizations had come out for the Volstead act.

Issue of Expenditure.

Discussion narrowed the issue to one of expenditure. Most of the national officers and the declaration board voted against the declaration in the form in which it was passed.

"Obedience to law is a fundamental requisite of orderly government, and only by enforcement of existing law can the nation command the respect of its citizens."

### 10 SLOT MACHINES SEIZED IN RAIDS

Test Case on Felony Charge Is Undertaken in Arrest of Two Shopkeepers.

Declaring slot machines to be a serious menace to the morals of children, Chief of Police Gerk announced today that he would try to get authority to destroy those which were seized.

His announcement was made after he had directed members of the gambling squad to apply to the Circuit Attorney for warrants for 10 proprietors of machines arrested yesterday after modification of a Circuit Court restraining order had made a renewal of raids possible.

Circuit Attorney Sidener ordered warrants issued against Patrick J. Moynihan, proprietor of a cigar store at 4900 Delmar boulevard, and Andrew Paleologos, manager of Andrew's Sweet Shop at 2310 Manchester avenue. They are charged with setting up a gambling device, a felony punishable by a maximum penalty of imprisonment for five years. The Circuit Attorney advised detectives to hold up the application for warrants in the other cases until a test case had been made in court.

Slot machines are robbing devices," Chief Gerk said this morning. "By their construction, they give the player only a 4-to-1 chance to win. There is no element of skill possible in playing them. They are a real menace to children, to whom they give an early training in gambling."

They ought to be smashed. Losses on their play are likely to lead children to other wrongs from stealing to theft, to make up what the machine has taken from them."

The 10 machines taken yesterday were seized in raids hastily organized after Circuit Judge Calhoun had modified Judge Titmer's restraining order which had forbidden police to take them. The modification allows police to seize machines they believe to be gambling devices. Before confiscating the machines yesterday, detectives played them so that they might testify as to their operation.

Detectives reported that many machine proprietors had learned of Judge Calhoun's order yesterday, and had got their machines out of the way before raids could be made. The order modified yesterday was issued by Judge Titmer March 31 on the bill of complaint of the St. Louis Mint Vending Co. Yesterday the police took the case before Judge Calhoun, on a charge of violation of the law against the vending machine, and immediately obtained modification.

Chief Gerk announced that 230 machines had been shipped into St. Louis yesterday morning and hurriedly returned to Chicago when the court order was changed to allow raids.

Members of the expedition at Fairbanks are not worried because they believe Capt. Wilkins is safe at Point Barrow awaiting a favorable opportunity to return. Three officials of the Military Telegraph office at Fairbanks have been sent in on the radio, for a call trip, he was away one week, a blizzard causing the delay.

AWAIT WORD FROM WILKINS

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 20.—No word has reached the Fairbanks, Alaska, base of the Detroit Arctic Expedition from Capt. George H. Wilkins, and Carl Ben Eielson, his pilot, who left the base last Thursday morning on their third trip to Point Barrow, according to dispatches to the North American Newspaper Alliance.

### ALDERMAN VOTED DRY BUT INSISTS HE'S WET

Study of Twenty-First Ward Explains Attitude on Board's Resolution.

Alderman William J. Studt of the Twenty-first Ward is all wet. So, he says, is "this old man." He is, by his own statement, as wet as the Atlantic Ocean, dripping, splashing wet.

And he wants St. Louis to know it, and the world at large, if it is interested. This confession of faith made today is a sequel to the proceedings when the Board of Aldermen met April 9 and passed on a resolution introduced by Alderman Sam Wimer to inform Missouri Congressmen that the board was distinctly not pleased with the Volstead act, and would they please do something about it. The resolution was passed with only four dissenting votes. Studt's being one of them.

Now Alderman Studt lives at 2310 Sullivan avenue, in a neighborhood thickly populated with citizens of German descent, to whom prohibition is no sweeter than a thorn in the side. When it became known that their only duly elected Alderman had voted dry, they were astounded, and didn't hesitate to tell him so. It went further than words.

"Every morning when I wake up I find a bottle of mineral water on my front and back porches," the Alderman said today. "My own father, who lives his drink, has called me a nut. And all my friends drink right in front of me without offering me anything. It's terrible. Please announce that I'm a howling radical wet; that the only reason I didn't vote for that resolution was because I didn't think it would mean anything anyway, and that the Board of Aldermen couldn't do anything about it one way or the other. It would simply take up our time. If I please, do something to change my status around here. It's dreadful."

NEW YORK, April 20.—The franc this morning opened at 36.88 to the dollar and shortly afterward went to 26.13. This constitutes a new low level.

The drop did not stop there, however, for at 11 o'clock the quotation was 26.21 to the dollar and at 11:10 o'clock the quotation on the franc was 26.24.

Police Seek Edward M. Kelly.

Mrs. E. J. Self of 204 West Fourth street, Kansas City, has requested police to try to locate her son-in-law, Edward M. Kelly, whom she believes to be in St. Louis.

EX-ST. LOUISAN WEDS  
BEAUTY SHOP OWNER

Templeton W. Wood, son of the late Joel Wood, wealthy real estate dealer and formerly prominent in St. Louis society, was married last Thursday at Pasadena, Cal., to Mrs. Elizabeth Poole, a widow, it became known here today.

His bride, the mother of three children, is a former hair dresser and beauty shop worker and up to three weeks ago, when she disposed of her holdings, operated a shop in Pasadena.

Mr. Wood's first wife, who was Miss Matilda Blakely, is also living in Pasadena. She and Mr. Wood were divorced more than a year ago but the custody of their 9-year-old daughter is still in litigation. Mr. Wood is a brother of Mrs. Samuel B. McPheters of 4955 Maryland avenue, wife of an attorney and former Police Commissioner, who said today she had had a letter from him announcing the marriage.

Mr. Wood has been conducting a photographic studio in Pasadena. They are expected to return to Pasadena within a few weeks. They are now on a honeymoon.

DOHENY SUE FOR \$97,600,000

Woman Attorney Says He Illegally Held Mexican Oil Lands.

NEW YORK, April 20.—Suit for \$97,600,000 has been filed in Richmond County Supreme Court by Merinos Viesca Co., Inc., against E. L. Doheny, oil magnate.

Miss Shirley Moore, attorney who filed the suit, charged that oil companies owned by Doheny have operated illegally on Mexican oil lands since 1906.

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# KELLOGG SAYS U. S. WILL AID IN ARMS LIMITATION

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realism, acquisition of territory, political or economical domination." "The policy is solely a desire to live and co-operate on terms of equality," he said, and "to promote peace, interchange knowledge, develop trade and commerce, free from selfish aims."

Kellogg took occasion to extend

his congratulations to the Associated Press, not only for its work in the United States, but in all the world.

"The organization is admirable," he said, "in collecting and disseminating news it does a great public service. You are animated by the highest sense of duty to the public as well as to the press. Your news is most carefully prepared, not only in the light of the duty to your members, but of that which you owe to the public, and

is so recognized throughout the world."

Kellogg expressed his appreciation of the power of the press in moulding public opinion.

"It is fully alive to my mind," he said, "that the government of the United States can only accomplish its purposes with the cordial backing of the great majority of the American people, and this backing is only obtainable when the press is able to treat these questions with understanding and comprehension of the broad lines which the Government has pursued."

Argentine Editor Speaks.

Jorge A. Mire, of La Nacion, Buenos Aires, paid tribute to the

Associated Press as "an international instrument for the promotion of brotherhood and peace," and praised its "matchless ideals of truth and fair play."

"The newspapers of the United States," he said, "reflect the sterling qualities of the great new organization upon which they chiefly rely. They have definitely emerged from that era in which principal attention was given to domestic news. They keep their readers informed of events abroad, many of them maintaining their own correspondents in principal cities to interpret and amplify the news."

"I think that in one important respect the American newspapers are superior to any in the world. It is true that the papers of Great Britain have established a high reputation for accuracy and independence, but it has seemed to me that the principal function of the British newspaper was to inform and instruct its readers. While the American newspaper also aims at achieving this end, it endeavors to do something more—to entertain."

Pan-American Press.

Frank B. Noyes, presiding at the luncheon, offered a toast to President and Mrs. Coolidge. Noyes, who is publisher of the Washington Star, is president of the Associated Press. He said in part:

"Our luncheon this year is marked by the presence of a number of the Latin American delegates to the first Pan-American Press Congress held last week in Washington."

"One of the resolutions adopted at the Washington congress recommended the formation of a Pan-American or Latin American Press Association, and when this suggestion was made by Senor Montenegro, a distinguished journalist from Chile, I expressed the view that the press of the United States, as represented by the Associated Press, would rejoice at an opportunity to co-operate in a movement to form in Latin America an organization of the newspapers of those countries and would make them the masters and not the clients of the news-gathering organizations that served them."

The position of the Associated Press could not be otherwise, for absolute control by the newspapers constituting its membership is the foundation of its organization.

"Many Canadian newspapers wished to become members of the Associated Press, but we insisted that it would in every way be better for them to form their own association, under which they would be the masters of their news service; and we are now in full alliance with the Canadian Press, organized on the same lines as the Associated Press, but with the same independence of action as is enjoyed by our Associated Press."

"The task of forming such an organization to the south is much more difficult, and for that reason we have taken into full membership important newspapers throughout Latin America."

"It is entirely possible that our form of organization is not suitable to your conditions, but I am sure that you will find the basic principles of the Associated Press equally essential for the basic principles of a Latin American organization."

## EX-WAR MINISTER OF FRANCE ADMITS WRITING TO SPY

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cution Malvy was brought to trial and on Aug. 6, 1918, was convicted. Since his return to politics in France the old charge of his complicity with Mata Hari has been revived and such bitter attacks were made upon him when he appeared in the Chamber of Deputies as Premier Briand's Minister of the Interior a few weeks ago that he resigned.

It was believed by some that the Senate, which convicted Malvy of having communication with the enemy and exiled him to Spain, knew the authorship of the letters, but other persons declared that they did not figure in his conviction.

Messimy's admission is contained in a letter to Mme. Severing, a socialist writer, who in some way had learned that he was the author of the notes to Mata Hari.

Messimy's Letter.

The letter says:

"You ask me to bear witness to clear up an enigma and soften a sadness. You think this testimony may contribute to lessen the hateful vengeance of adversaries attacking my friend and old colleague, M. Malvy."

"You recall to me that the French always have been indulgent for the faults which brought Francis I and The Bearnais (meaning Henry IV) a good part of their popularity. I know also that not only Frenchmen, but perhaps Frenchwomen, are even more devoid of all tolerance and all amenity for the man who seeks to escape flattering advances, tempting and direct, of a woman, above all if she is famous and beautiful."

"Nevertheless, that is the true story of my relations with Mata Hari. During many months I was seduced by all the means of seduction which she knew how to employ in incomparable fashion, tried to acquire the right to call herself my mistress. I found her charming, but full of mystery and just as enticing as she was disquieting. I had the impudence not only to tell her that, but to write to her."

Mata Hari was convicted of conveying to the Germans the secret of the construction of entente tanks and died before a firing squad on the parade grounds at Vincennes.

Waitress Held Up in Restaurant.

Miss Ida Sanders, waitress in charge of the restaurant at 2741 Wash street, was held up at 1:30 a. m. today by a Negro and robbed of \$11.

Widow of Senator Culberson Dies.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—Funeral services for Mrs. Sally H. Culberson, 60 years old, widow of

former United States Senator

Charles A. Culberson of Texas, who died last night of apoplexy, will be held tomorrow. Burial will be in Fort Worth, Tex.

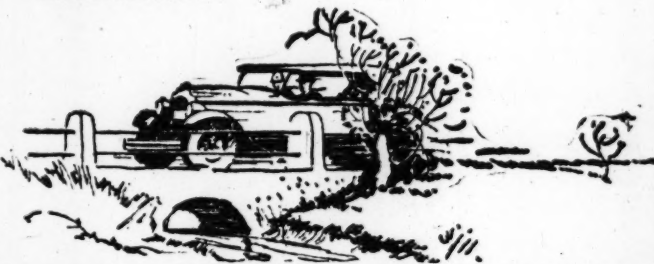
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In bright colors as well as flesh and white.

Water Sets, 95c  
Pitcher and 6 glasses of clear crystal glass with hand-cut design.

Boys' Knickers, \$1.98  
Palm Beach Knickers—new patterns, in tan, gray and sand. Sizes 6 to 18.

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Blouses 85c  
In neat stripes and checks with sport neck and short sleeves. Sizes 6 to 16 years.

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1.31	\$610	A very slight nick on edge. Otherwise a flawless diamond of fire and attractiveness.
1.91	\$831	The naked eye will not notice a minute bubble. This otherwise perfect diamond at this reduced price.
1.91	\$859	Good color characterizes this gem. A very slight defection is reason for the low price.
1.97	\$1034	Wonderful color in this handsome gem. Slight defection.
1.98	\$1028	Good color; well cut; slightly defective.
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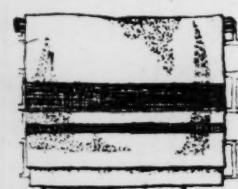
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\$7.50



Perfect support for the abdomen and diaphragm is provided in this garment that proves the fact that the stouter woman can be given the long graceful lines of fashion. Excellence of design and tailoring, and care in every detail of construction, make this the correct garment for the stout woman.

In Sizes up to 54

(Second Floor.)

## Girls' Stamped Frocks

Many New Styles in Sizes 2 to 16

\$1.00 to \$2.75

The Art Needlework Section is showing ever so many new styles in stamped frocks. With very little time and effort mothers can make frocks that have the distinction of hand embroidery. There are practical pants frocks of chambray and gingham, pants frocks of organdy, and sheer white and crossbar voiles.



Especially attractive is a model with flared skirt, and another with kick pleats in the skirt.

(Second Floor.)

## New Printed Crepes Of Silk-and-Cotton Mixture

2500 Yards—Specially Featured at a Low Price—Yard

59c

The soft texture and delightful finish of these Crepes make them extremely appealing for wear now and during the Summer. They are light in weight, they are durable, and charming in new patterns and color combinations. 36 inches wide.

The Price for This Special Selling Occasion Is Unusually Low.

(Wash Goods—Second Floor.)



## An Important Coat Event

Coats From Stock Repriced and New Arrivals Present Attractive Selections in Women's Coats, Misses' Coats and Sport Coats

\$25 and \$39.75

ESPECIALLY important is this event, for all the Third Floor Coat Departments participate and assure satisfaction to everyone's need. Coats for every purpose may be chosen at prices that are pleasingly modest. All the Coats were selected individually, and thus the style range and the quality are uniformly excellent. Whatever style one's fancy favors, whatever color is one's own—the selection is wide enough to enable personal choosing.

The tailoring, upon which depends the smartness of a Coat, is superior throughout the groups. Well chosen and sturdy linings, combined with clever details in finish, mark the Coats as unusual at these prices. Women's sizes, regular and extra; misses' sizes 14 to 18.

### In the Women's Coat Section

The new styles—puff sleeves, embroidery, and fur edged collars—distinguish the dress Coats of lorraine and twill in this collection. The Topcoats are smartly tailored tweeds, plaids, and camel's hair, fashioned with becoming mannish details.

• Priced \$25 and \$39.75

### In the Misses' Coat Section

The miss wears tailored styles and for her, dress Coats and Topcoats are shown with fitted lines. Others are styled with the embroidered sleeve and lines in wrap effect. Tweeds, twills, charmeens, satins and failles are the smart materials.

• Priced \$25 and \$39.75

### Featured in Sport Center

Dashing and vivid are these Coats in plaids, checks and stripes—imported materials and novelties that combine beautiful colors. Others are woven in border effects. All are simply tailored on mannish lines. Fully silk lined is each one.

• Priced \$25 and \$39.75

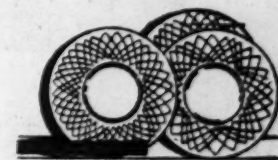
(Third Floor.)

## Special Selling of Glassware

Anticipating Summer Needs at Important Savings

### Tumblers, 6 for 45c

Clear glass Tumblers with neat decorations are offered in a wide variety of styles at this unusually low price.



### Salad Plates, \$2 Doz.

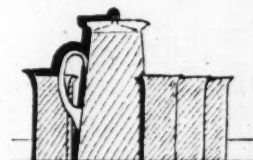
Cool green glass Salad Plates in the new diamond effect are very decorative on the snowy cloth of the luncheon table.



### Stemware, 35c Each

Goblets, sherberts, wines and cocktails of green spiral optic glass are a charming addition to the luncheon table.

(Fifth Floor.)



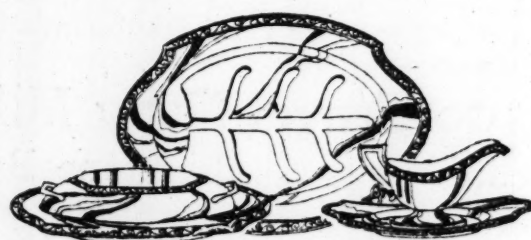
### Beverage Sets, \$1.95

A refreshing drink will be very welcome when served in these clear green or amber glasses and poured from the large covered pitcher.



### Fruit Bowl, \$1.00

A large iridescent amber glass fruit bowl, in the charming colonial style, rests on a plate to match.



## Silver-Plated Ware

In "Lindell" Pattern

Choice of Three Pieces—Special

\$6.95

(3 for \$19.50)

The Lindell pattern, shown here exclusively in St. Louis, is very effective in platinum finish with dainty applied border—heavily silver-plated on nickel silver, and guaranteed for long wear. The three pieces specially offered at this price are important parts of the service. Choice of:

Gravy Boat and Tray, Covered Vegetable Dish, Well-and-Tree Platter.

Handled Bread Tray to Match, Special, \$3.50 (Main Floor.)



# Scruggs-Vanderwoort-Barney 76<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Sale

Store Hours: Daily, 9:00 to 5:30—Saturday, 9:00 to 6:00

Telephone Orders, Shoppers' Aid—Garfield 7500

Olive and Locust, From Ninth to Tenth

## S.-V.-B. Toiletries

Popular Because They're Effective  
At These Special Prices for  
Anniversary Only  
Phone or Mail Orders Promptly Filled

S.-V.-B. Theda Face Powder, Regular \$1.00, at 75c	Cream Emray, 8-oz. jar, regularly \$1.35, at \$1.10
S.-V.-B. Orange Blossom Toilet Water, Regularly \$1.00, at 75c	S.-V.-B. Benzoin and Almond Lotion, regularly 50c a bottle, at 35c
S.-V.-B. Special Powder, regularly 65c, at 50c	S.-V.-B. Vanishing Cream, regularly 50c jar, at 35c
S.-V.-B. Tooth Brush, amber colored handles, regularly 50c, at 25c	S.-V.-B. Hygienic Cleansing Cream, 8 oz., Regularly 70c; jar 50c

Toilet Goods Shop—First Floor.

## New Voile Lingerie

Priced for the Anniversary

**\$1.98**

Gowns Envelope Chemise Step-Ins

In Peach, Nile, Orchid and Pink

OF fine quality colored voile in all the Springtime shades. Trimmed with lovely laces, medallions and hemstitching.

Lingerie Shop—Third Floor.

## Milton C. Work

International Auction Bridge Authority

WILL lecture in Vanderwoort's Music Hall Friday and Saturday at 1 o'clock. The talk is designed to be of interest to both beginners and experienced players. At the close of the lecture each day Dr. Work will answer any questions you wish to ask about auction bridge.

Dr. Work's new book, "Auction Bridge Complete," is on sale in our Book Shop for \$2. We advise you to secure it in advance and become familiar with it in order to more thoroughly enjoy the lectures. Books ordered through the Book Shop will be autographed by Dr. Work.

Book Shop—Sixth Floor.



## The New Improved Model

EVEN greater than the Standard Design Hoover, that has won well-merited approval for its efficiency, is this improved Hoover with the patented Agitator.

It is an even greater rug-saver. The oftener a carpet is cleaned with a Hoover, the longer that carpet will wear!

Let us show you the new Hoover. See for yourself what "Positive Agitation" means. And remember you can secure the Hoover for a very small down payment with the balance in easy monthly payments.

Vanderwoort's Rug Shop—Fourth Floor.

## Interesting Additions to the Anniversary Sale

### 200 Pairs Double-Faced Velour Portieres

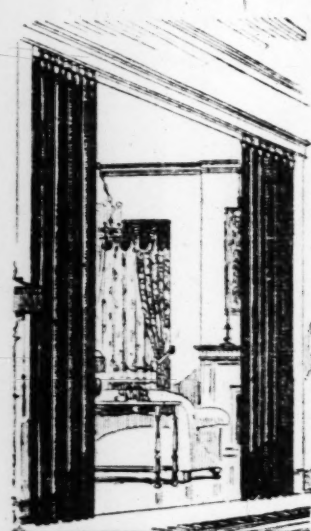
Regularly \$17.50

Special, **\$11.95** Pair

Size 26 by 24. Excellent quality, French edged, in the following color combinations:

Taupe and Blue	Taupe and Rose
Mulberry and Taupe	Taupe and Mulberry
Blue and Rose	Blue and Mulberry
Blue and Gold	Blue and Rose
Mulberry and Mulberry	Rose and Rose
Rose and Green	Black and Gold

Same Portieres, size 52 inches by 24 yards; regular \$32.50; special, **\$22.50**.



1000 yards 54-inch Velour to match portieres; **\$1.98** regular \$3.00; special.

### 1000 Yards Drapery

Damask, Special **\$1.15**

Regular \$1.75 to \$2.00 rayon Damask in allover designs on multicolored striped grounds; 36 inches wide.

Other groups 45 and 50 inch widths. Special prices, \$1.59 and \$2.65.

### 3500 Yards Curtain Materials, Special 27c

Regular 45c to 60c dotted and figured, also fancy barred marquisettes and grenadines; solid or colored figures; white, ivory and ecru.

### 2500 Yards of New Cretonne, Special

Regularly 85c to \$1.15. Printed on highly mercerized figured armure in a great variety of both light and dark colors. Will drape gracefully. Suitable for many purposes.

Curtain and Drapery Shop—Fourth Floor.

### 2500 Pairs of Ruffled Curtains and Valance Sets

Special, **\$1.50** Pair

Regular \$2.00 and \$2.25, in a great variety in white and colors; grenadines and marquisettes.

Special, **\$1.98** Pair

Regular \$2.95 striped grenadine with full ruffling; 36 inches by 24 yards.

Special, **\$2.55** Pair

Striped grenadine flounce Curtains, extra width, also Valance Sets in wanted colors.

### 1800 Curtains and Panels

Special **\$1.15** Each

Excellent selection, striped and figured marquisettes; all finished in deep rayon bullion fringe.

Special, **\$1.50** Each

Figured rayon gauze and casement marquisette in a variety of designs. All have rayon bullion fringe.

Special, **\$2.45** Each

Extra quality heavy rayon; allover design, with deep bullion fringe.

**65c**  
Yard

## Wednesday—For Baby

### Flannelette Gowns, 39c

Attractively made with drawstring at the top. An ideal garment for baby.

### Baby Creepers, \$1

Made of colored chambray with dimity waists. Size 1 to 3 years.

### Children's Sweaters

Special at **\$1.95**

### Windsor Crepe Pajamas, Special at \$1.95

For ages 8 to 16.

Children's Gowns, \$1.00

Of flesh colored crepe. For ages 8 to 16.

Children's Princess Slips, Special at **\$1.95**

Of fine nainsook. Lace or embroidery trimmed. For ages 6 to 16.

Handmade Pillowcases, 85c

Decorated with hand-embroidered sprays in dainty designs.

Kapok Pillows, 45c

An added comfort for baby's sleepy hours.

Baby Boy Suits, \$1

Middy and one-piece Suits made of colored chambray and neatly trimmed.

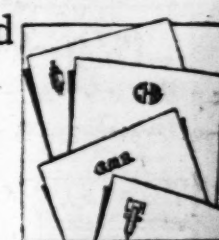
Infants' Shop—Third Floor.

Two Exceptional Offers Open Only  
Until Saturday Night

### Die, Stationery and Stamping

Complete

**\$2.75**



CRANE'S Highland Stationery in boxes of 24 sheets and 24 envelopes, stamped with your own monogram in gold, silver or any contrasting color. The Stationery, the die of a two or three letter monogram and the stamping are all included at the Anniversary price of \$2.75.

## Engraved Calling Cards

Includes your individual plate, engraved with name only, and 100 cards.

Script style, regularly \$3.50	\$2.75	Shaded Roman style, reg. \$5.75	\$4.50
Solid Old English style, regularly \$4.50	\$3.50	Shaded antique style, reg. \$5.75	\$4.50
Shaded Old English style, regularly \$5.75	\$4.50	100 plain Cards from your own plate, special at	\$1.50
		100 Panel Cards from your own plate, special at	\$2.00

Vanderwoort's Stationery Shop—First Floor.

## Electric Percolator

7-Cup Size

**\$3.95**



A new design, attractively nicked. With automatic shut-off. A reliable article made by the manufacturers of Universal appliances.

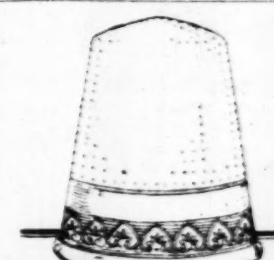
## Special Sale of the Universal Wrinkleproof Iron

**\$1.00** Allowance

On any old iron, regardless of make or condition.

Special—During This Sale Only!

Electric Shop—Downstairs.



## 1000 Sterling Silver Thimbles, 25c

Specially Priced for Anniversary

ONE thousand Silver Thimbles have been purchased for the Anniversary Sale and will be offered Wednesday for 25c. They are of sterling silver, medium weight and with beautifully engraved narrow borders. The sizes are 7, 8, 10, 11 and 12. Sizes may be exchanged.

Notions Shop—First Floor.

Special Anniversary Preparations Include

## Thousands of Pieces of Colored Glassware

In New and Unusual Articles

Luncheon Sets  
Iced-Tea Sets  
Water SetsSalad Sets  
Salad Plates  
Gold-Encrusted Stemware

### This 7-Piece Iced-Tea Set

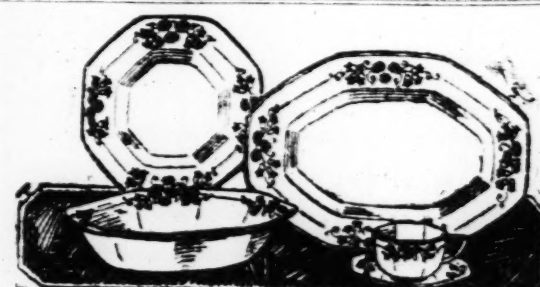
Regularly \$2.50

For **\$1.45**



Choice of amber or green, in the popular optic pattern. The Set consists of a tall covered pitcher with six glasses of very graceful shape.

Glassware Shop—Fourth Floor.



Among the Special Anniversary Offerings  
Choice of Two Attractive Decorations  
in These

### 32-Piece Breakfast Sets

Regularly \$7.25, for **\$5.45**

Very neat Sets of American semi-porcelain, with colorful decorations. One pattern with fruit in natural colors. The other with times and floral motifs in soft colors. Service for six.

China Shop—Fourth Floor.

## Interesting Anniversary Luggage

**\$45.00** Wardrobe Trunks

A limited number of these sturdy Wardrobe Trunks at the Anniversary price of \$36.50. In anticipation of vacation time you may wisely select one of them for your use this Summer and many Summers to come.

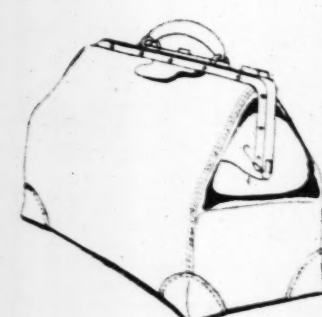
All the wanted features are included, such as convertible hat-box, shoe compartment, locking device on all drawers, cretonne lining, etc. The entire Trunk is substantially built and invites the hard wear of travel.

## Bags to Travel Many Miles

Traveling Bags

Special Price

**\$6.75**



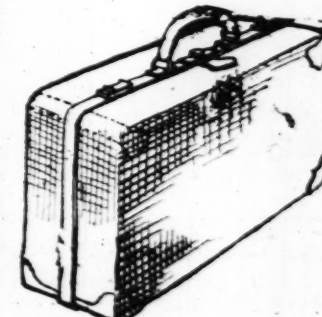
Made of genuine leather and also leather lined. Light weight with steel frame, spike catches, strong lock and handle. The corners are reinforced and the Bag contains three pockets.

Luggage Shop—Downstairs.

Gladstone Bags

Regularly \$27.50

**\$17.95**



The brown cowhide leather used in the construction of these Gladstones makes them good for long service. Leather lined, with division board, shirt fold, stationery pocket. Size 22 inches. Limited quantity.

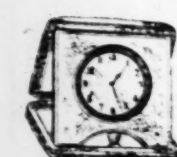
Luggage Shop—Downstairs.

## To Tuck Away in Your Traveling Bag

Traveling Clocks

Regularly \$19.75

**\$12.75**



A small Clock in a case of genuine leather is an incomparable traveling companion. These Clocks have twenty-four hours or eight-day movements and some of them have Radiolite dials.

Small Leather Goods Shop—First Floor.

Writing Cases

Regularly \$7.50

**\$5.75**

To take with you on the trip whether it is long or short—Writing Cases in a variety of colored leathers in green, rose, blue, brown, black. Lined with moire. Pockets for envelopes and stationery.

## Anniversary Dolls

Regularly \$3.00

Cunning Mamma Dolls dressed in an assortment of frocks. With composition head and arms.

Regularly \$1.50, at **\$1.00**

Mamma Dolls, smaller size, and dressed in cute little dresses in many different colors.

Nursery Rhyme Dolls

Regularly \$1.00, at **75c**

Characterizations of well-known nursery rhyme figures.

Toy Shop—Downstairs.



## Scruggs-Vanderwoort-Barney

Store Hours: Daily, 9:00 to 5:30—Saturday, 9:00 to 6:00—Olive and Locust, From Ninth to Tenth



## New Untrimmed

In Smart Midseason and Summer

Offer a Most Attractive Selection

THE special section of our Millinery Shop—untrimmed Hats feature a large new materials and shapes smart for wear Summer. Small head sizes for the bobbed and larger head sizes for women with long hair. Including the very new broad-brimmed and the small close-fitting modes.

Perle Viscas  
Peanits

Hairbrushes  
Crochets

Priced From \$5 to \$10

New Ornaments, Flowers and Ornaments  
Give Inspiration for Chic, Individuality

Lovely Imported Flowers From

Ostrich Tassel

New Pearl Initials

Rhinestone Ornaments

Untrimmed Millinery Shop—Third Floor.

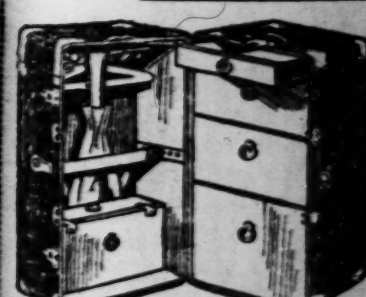


Special!  
Card Table



This is a very sturdy, collapsible Card Table, regular \$2.95 value, specially priced for "Thrifty Day."

**\$2.95**



\$1 Weekly

Special!  
\$4.50 Porch Swing



Large, comfortable Swing in golden oak finish. Complete with massive chains. Ideal for porch, sturdily built. Specially priced for "Thrifty Day."

**\$2.75**











## Memphian to MEMPHIS

Leaves St. Louis.....11:25 pm  
Leaves Tower Grove.....11:35 pm  
Arrives Memphis.....7:35 am  
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**\$19**



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Short, swelling  
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**STOUT Lane Bryant WOMEN**  
SIZES 40 TO 56 BASEMENT SIXTH AND LOCUST STREETS

Sensational News—More Thrilling  
Values in Another Great Smashing  
**COAT SALE**

20 Spring and Summer Smartest Styles  
Twills, Tweeds, Sports Mixtures.  
Coats Easily Worth \$25.00 **\$15**

Coats combining every style phase with  
quality and economy. The best Coat val-  
ues in St. Louis are here for you Wednes-  
day. Come and save.

Above: Poiret Twills \$15  
Center: Sports Mixture, \$15  
Right: Poiret Twills \$15

No Charge Accounts

No Deliveries

Men who never purchased in a Basement  
Store before are buying in Boyd's Subway

## Two-Trouser Suits

In Three Unusual Groups

**\$25** **\$33**  
\$35.00 Values \$45.00 Values

**\$29.50**

\$35.00 and \$40.00 Values

But Boyd's Subway is a different kind of basement store—Subway Suits are not sold to meet a price—any one can sell at a price but not every one can offer style, value and variety like you will find here—Boyd's Subway Suits are as carefully fitted as those in our upstairs store—the woollens are carefully selected for quality—the tailoring is thorough, hand-tailoring being used where it is essential. These things are bringing men to the Subway who have never before purchased in Basement Stores.

Single-breasted models in two-button English and three-button conserva-  
tive styles. Cassimeres, worsteds, unfinished worsteds, serges and other  
desirable fabrics.

New double-breasted—mostly blues in plain chevrons, waled effects and  
diamond weaves. Sizes 33 to 46. Also stouts, longs and shorts. All with  
two pairs of trousers.

## Silk-Lined Topcoats, \$22

\$30.00 and \$35.00 Values

Silk-lined—new Spring patterns—desirable colors—plain-back models.

## New Spring Hats, \$2.95

\$5.00 values. Further reduction on extra quality felt Hats. Big selection  
of this season's new styles and shapes. Several shades of gray and tan.

## Men's Shoes, \$5.95

\$7.00, \$8.00, \$8.50 and \$10.00 Values

Salesmen's samples and several special purchases of Bostonian Oxford  
Shoes. Several shades of tans, blacks, new styles—all sizes.

**NECKWEAR, 65c**  
**\$1.00 Qualities**

Mogadores, moires, reps, crepes, failles  
and silk and wools in stripes and figured  
designs. Big selection of bright ties that  
represent the season's newest colors.

**\$2.00 and \$2.50**  
**SHIRTS, \$1.65**

Brodercloths in white neckband and collar  
attached. Rayon striped madras—white  
grounds with neat colored stripes. Neck-  
band style. Some are seconds.

**Boyd's**

BOYD RICHARDSON—OLIVE AND SIXTH

## GAMBLER IS SLAIN IN A PISTOL FIGHT IN EAST ST. LOUIS

Thomas Padgett, 52, Shot  
to Death on Street by  
Two Assailants, Presum-  
ably Holdup Men.

Thomas Padgett, 52 years old,  
East Side gambler, was shot to  
death last night by two men, ap-  
parently robbers, in a revolver  
fight at Twenty-first and State  
streets, East St. Louis. He was  
killed by a bullet through the  
heart and was seen to fall in the  
gutter as his assailants fled.

Padgett was walking to his home,  
541 Alexander place, from a pool  
room at 2616 State street, where  
he had been playing cards until  
about 10:45 o'clock. Friends said  
he had about \$1000 on his person  
when he left the pool room. In-  
asmuch as only \$500 was found on  
his body, the robbery theory is  
strengthened.

He is not known to have had  
any enemies. He had a reputation  
as a "square" gambler, who de-  
voted himself to running small card  
and dice games in the rear rooms  
of pool rooms and saloons. He  
had done no other work for several  
years.

The killing last night was wit-  
nessed by Louis Bukauskas, 2000  
State street, and Mrs. Margie Ma-  
kalaukas, 558 North Twenty-second  
street, East St. Louis, who were  
passing in an automobile. They  
saw three men at the corner and  
heard two shots just before Padgett  
collapsed in the gutter. Then Bu-  
kauskas heard two or three more  
shots in close succession. He  
looked back to see one man run-  
ning south and another climbing  
into a machine parked on the north  
side of State street, west of the  
corner. He noted the last three  
numbers of the license—550.

In the gutter beside Padgett was  
found his pocket holster and his  
.38-caliber revolver with two dis-  
charged cartridges. On the side-  
walk police found an ejected .25-  
caliber shell.

When police arrived they learned  
of a holdup at 1816 Cleveland av-  
enue, three blocks south. Donatis  
Dieter described a man, similar to  
the one who fled south after the  
murder, who held him up and took  
his Ford touring car.

Padgett is survived by his wife,  
Louise, two sons and a daugh-  
ter.

## U. S. SPENT \$61,312 IN CASE AGAINST SENATOR WHEELER

Attorney-General Makes Report—  
Senate Committee Protests  
Names of Other Witnesses.  
By the Associated Press  
WASHINGTON, April 20.—  
Echoes of the unsuccessful pro-  
secution of Senator Wheeler (Dem.)  
of Montana by the Department of  
Justice on charges of accepting  
fees for handling oil lease cases  
before the Interior Department  
have been heard again in the Sen-  
ate.

Attorney-General Sargent report-  
ed that the efforts to convict the  
Senator in Montana and the Dis-  
trict of Columbia had cost the Gov-  
ernment \$61,312.

Chairman Cullen of the Ju-  
diciary Committee has reported  
that it had approved the decision  
of its subcommittee that the At-  
torney-General be not required to  
disclose the names of witnesses,  
who it was alleged, would sub-  
stantiate the testimony of George  
B. Hays, a New York attorney,  
against Senator Wheeler at the  
Montana trial.

The itemized account of expenses  
submitted by the Attorney-General  
shows that the Bureau of Investi-  
gation spent \$17,637, and special  
assistants to the Attorney-General  
cost \$24,771. Items paid by the  
United States Marshal in Montana  
amounted to \$1547, regular witness  
expense in the District of Colum-  
bia, \$11,554, and expert witness ex-  
pense in the District of Columbia,  
\$560.

**LOSES SUIT AGAINST THE U. R.**  
Eastern Bondholder Sought to In-  
tervene in Receivership.  
The United States Supreme Court  
has refused to review the case of  
Milton Von Boston, an Eastern  
bondholder of the United Railways  
Co., who sought to intervene in the  
United Railways receivership pro-  
ceedings, and whose petition was  
denied in the District Court here  
by Judge Faris, and by the Cir-  
cuit Court of Appeals.

Von Boston, in his suit, sought  
to have declared due \$30,000,000  
of bonds, secured by a general deed  
of trust. Judge Faris, in the de-  
cision now upheld, held that the  
acts complained of by Von Bos-  
ton had not constituted a breach  
which gave him a right to enforce  
the terms of the mortgage.

**FERGUSON-M'KINNEY PAYMENTS**  
Creditors to Get \$268,000 on or  
About May 1.

Creditors of the bankrupt Fer-  
guson-M'Kinney Manufacturing  
Co. will receive \$268,000, or about  
6 per cent of their claims on or  
about May 1.  
Sidney G. Smith, trustee, had an-  
nounced this payment April 1, but  
it was postponed in the face of a  
suit for \$514,000 brought by the  
Carlson Dry Goods Co., which  
caused the referee in bankruptcy  
to isolate that sum pending out-  
come of the suit.

During this sale a reason-  
able deposit will hold any  
garment until wanted.

**Bedell**

WASHINGTON AVENUE CORNER SEVENTH

## Special Dress Offering for NATIONAL BEDELL WEEK

All the Smartest New  
Spring Models



FOR NATIONAL BEDELL WEEK!

1100 Charming New Spring

## FROCKS

Fashioned of Exquisite Silks—Of Lovely Coloring—In  
Dainty New Styles—Adapted From the Latest  
Parisian Creations—Absolutely New

Frocks for Every  
Taste

**\$16**

In the Newest  
Spring Colorings

Every Dress in this assortment is of the quality made to sell at  
almost twice this sale price. Rich quality silks—elegantly  
trimmed with dainty laces, touches of gold and silver embroidery  
and new effects.

BEDELL—DRESS SALON—ENTIRE SECOND FLOOR

## SMART AFTERNOON FROCKS

**\$25** Delightful Dresses for informal wear  
fashioned of new silks in all of the  
very latest modes.

Smart afternoon, dinner and evening  
Frocks of rich quality silks—smart-  
ly trimmed. **\$39.75**



For National Bedell Week!  
Offering Over 250 Sensational Values in

## SPRING COATS

650 Smart Spring Models—Of Fine Quality  
Fabrics—and Fashioned in the Very Newest  
Most Popular Modes.

**\$19.75**

Striking new models—in the very newest modes—each one  
individual and distinctive. Handsomely lined, elegantly tai-  
lored and sensationally low priced for this great National  
Week of Sales.

BEDELL—COAT SALON—ENTIRE FOURTH FLOOR

## SMART SPRING COATS

**\$25** Attractive Coats for street and  
sports wear—smartly tailored of  
novelty weaves and twills.

High-grade models of rich fabrics—  
elegantly trimmed with fine furs  
and new braiding. **\$39.75**



### There Is an Economy Home Near You

Throughout St. Louis and St. Louis County are scattered hundreds of substantial, good looking, comfortable homes for which this association has furnished the funds.

First deeds of trust on these homes is the security which protects every investor in Economy Shares and which has made possible an unbroken dividend record of 6% for 39 years.

Economy Shares are thrift makers and profit earners. Put a few in your strong box today. Rich and poor alike appreciate their Federal Income Tax exemption feature.

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**Economy Building and Loan Association**

Organized 1887

International Life Building—Eighth and Chestnut

Ask your Wife for  
**LEA & PERRINS'**  
SAUCE

Ask Your Grocer for  
**ELDO-RONI**  
SPECIAL WEEK

There is a quick way to sell that car—through Post-Dispatch wants. Phone your order or leave it with your nearest druggist.

### POLICEMAN ON TRIAL ON OPPRESSION CHARGE

Special Officer George Upton  
to Face Jury for Conduct  
in Raid.

The first of five police officers under indictment for alleged misconduct in the performance of their duties, to go to trial is Special Officer George Upton of the Deer Street District, whose case will be heard by a jury today before Judge Gayer in the Court of Criminal Correction.

Upton is being tried on the first of two counts, charging oppression in office and common assault. The testimony before the grand jury, on which Upton was indicted, was presented by Augustine A. Cervantes, 3720A Junata street, who is the division manager for the Federal Life Insurance Co., with offices in the Le Salle Building. Cervantes alleges that on May 16 last he was arrested by Upton and other policemen, who raided a soft drink stand at the time he was selling insurance to the proprietor, John Meseras at 705 South Vandeventer avenue. Cervantes said that the police, after jumping over the bar, demanded his name. He did not know that they were policemen, at first, and did not comply with the request.

Later he offered his business card as identification, but he alleges, the officers said: "We'll take you along, anyway." Before he had been released on bond, Cervantes asserts, Upton "got rough" with him, pushing him away from the Lieutenant with whom he was conversing. He that says Upton also hit him in the neck.

Four other policemen whose trials were set for yesterday obtained continuances from Judge Calvin Miller in the Court of Criminal Correction until May 17, when their cases will be heard by juries.

Special Officer Walter Bauer of the morality squad, is charged with common assault and oppression in office in connection with a raid on the Grandview Hotel, in which two women were arrested with the clerk, Julius Fischman, who charges he was beaten.

Patrolmen Fred Camp and William Carr of the Angelica Street Station, are charged with malicious destruction of property, and Camp with oppression in office, in connection with an alleged raid on the restaurant of Mrs. Katie Meyers, 4215 North Broadway, where the officers are charged with breaking in a door to arrest some women playing cards. Patrolman Arthur Haverthorn is charged with common assault. He is alleged to have struck a man he was arresting.

### TELLS OF CHURCH PEW TRYSTS

Pastor of Brooklyn Church  
Witness in Divorce Case.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, April 20.—A church pew was pictured today as a rival of the bus top and the park bench as a "trysting" place. The pastor of the Washington Avenue Baptist Church in Brooklyn, his wife, and a woman of the congregation filed affidavits in Supreme Court today that Benjamin Tuthill, a married man, and Miss Henrietta Carpenter, a Sunday school teacher, occupied a pew together so obviously and frequently the pew was dubbed "The Love Nest," and they were expelled from the congregation. The affidavits were in support of Mrs. Tuthill's suit for separation.

The Rev. Robert McCaul, the pastor, declared Tuthill always came alone to meet Miss Carpenter, and "assumed an air of mourning" which led to the assumption Mrs. Tuthill was dead. The minister never investigated that, said, because it was known Tuthill was "a man of violent temper."

### LUMBERING IN THE ARCTICS

Six Months of Daylight for Russian Workers.

Special Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.  
LENINGRAD, March 24.—One hundred miles north of the Arctic circle the L'vovskiy sawmill, on the Kola peninsula, have been repaired and will be in operation this season. In summer time the daylight there is continuous and the mills can make up for the long winter months when everything is buried under mountains of snow. Reindeer will carry the lumber from mill to seacoast, where it will be loaded for export.

170-Acre Site for Bryan Memorial.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
DAYTON, Tenn., April 20.—A tract of 170 acres, about the Dixie Highway, just south of Dayton, has been offered as a gift by Prof. Joe T. Benson to the Bryan Memorial University Association, to be used as a site for the university now being established here. The national campaign to raise \$3,000,000 for the establishment of the memorial to the Commander is making progress, according to F. E. Robinson, president of the association. Gifts totaling \$75,000 have been received recently from friends and admirers of Mr. Bryan in Florida.

Street Car Robber Sentenced.  
MURPHYSBORO, Ill., April 20.—Robert Steele of Carbondale, confessed street car robber, who held up and robbed the passengers in the Murphysboro & Southern Illinois Interurban Railway, one mile west of Carbondale, three weeks ago, pleaded guilty in Circuit Court and was sentenced to from three to 10 years in the Southern Illinois Penitentiary. Steele got \$500 in the holdup.

Free! An Excella Pattern—in Your Size—1 Style Only

**The New Nuents**  
The Store for ALL the People

**In St. Louis Largest Bargain Basement**

## COATS and DRESSES



SALE IN  
BARGAIN  
BASEMENT

**\$7**

SALE IN  
BARGAIN  
BASEMENT

Every Coat is a brand-new Spring Model and the style range includes the season's most successful numbers and imagine at \$7.00.

### The Styles:

Flared models, scalloped models, in fact every version of every style. Sport Coats and embroidered Coats, come and see them, sizes for women and misses.

You will hardly believe your own eyes when you inspect rack after rack of these lovely Dresses.

### The Materials:

Everything you would expect, Georgettes, Crepes, sports Dresses in all the newest Summer colors, in fact everything you would expect at a much higher price is here at \$7.00.



A Shipment of Coats Received in time for Wednesday selling. In the most wanted colors, styles, and materials for women and misses only **\$12.00** (Bargain Basement.)

### Wednesday Specials!

#### Girls' Apparel

135 Girls' Coats \$3  
7 to 12 years...  
175 Girls' Coats \$4  
7 to 14 years...  
125 Girls' Coats \$6  
7 to 17 years...  
Girls' Wash Dresses... 69c  
Guaranteed fast colors.

Continuing the Sale of  
1000 Girls' New Rayon Dresses... **\$2.00**

A better value would be hard to find, come in sizes 8 to 14, in a variety of new colors. Regular \$3 dresses. (Nuents—Bargain Basement.)

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Boys' 2-Trouser "Longie" Suits \$10.75 Value  
All-wool fabrics, one pair long trousers, one pair knickerbockers, coat and vest. Smart new Spring patterns. Sizes 7 to 17... **\$8.95**

Boys' Spring Reefers \$2.98  
In tweeds and cashmeres, all new, Spring styles and patterns, sizes 5 to 14, \$5.95 values...

Boys' Cricket Sweaters \$1.89  
New Jacquard weaves, worsted wool sweaters, novelty effects, for boys 4 to 14 years; values to \$2.50; some slight irregularities.

(Nuents—Bargain Basement.)

### Youthful Matron Hats

Wonderful Values

Specially Priced at

**\$2.95**

Trimmed Hats that are new and so becoming to the middle-aged woman. Small, close-fitting, medium and large Hats, made of viscose braid, taffeta Hats and combinations. Colors mostly black, but also other desirable shades.

(Nuents—Bargain Basement.)

### Misses' Shoes

Pretty strap styles, in all-over patent or with gray, silver or tan trim, some have bow on vamp. Sizes 5 1/2 to 7.

**\$1.98**

### Infants' Shoes

\$1.50 to \$2.25  
Values, at Pair... **98c**  
High Shoes with colored tops, crepe sole Oxfords, and play Oxfords. Sizes 3 to 8. (Nuents—Bargain Basement.)

## BASEMENT BABY DAY SPECIALS

### Tots' Knit Capes

New styles in pink and blue soft wool sepher and fiber in novelty weaves with white brushed wool collar and dainty rosebud trimming. \$2.49

### Mothers' Binders

Practical straight knit Binders of the Arnold special... 29c

### Infants' Stockings

Full mercedized in white, pongee and black. Sizes 4 to 6... 25c

### Rubber Pants

Good quality slip-on style. All sizes, slight seconds... 19c



### Infants' Cotton Flannelette Wear

Gertrudes, wrappers and gowns, well-made garments with dainty pink and blue edging... 29c

### Baby Dresses

Infants' Dresses of soft flannelette, several very attractive models in sizes 1 and 2 years. Exceptional values at this price... 79c

### Infants' Shirts

Double-breasted pin-back style or button front in cotton or cotton and wool. Sizes to 2 years... 3 for \$1 (Bargain Basement.)

### Infants' Bathrobes

Pretty styles in soft cotton robes for baby. White, pink and blue. Some with hood... 79c

## Underwear for the Entire Family

### Silk Undergarments

Exceptional values in these beautiful chemise, step-ins or slips in soft pastel shades. Regular sizes... **\$1.89**

### Sample Undergarments

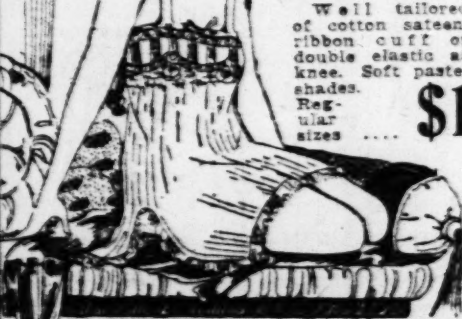
In many dainty lace or tailored models, chemise, bloomers, step-ins, gowns or slips. Soft pastel shades. Regular sizes... **\$1.00**

### Sateen Slips

Pretty bodice top slips, made of cotton sateen in light or dark shades. Regular sizes... **\$1.00**

### Sateen Bloomers

Well tailored of cotton sateen. Ribbon cuff or double elastic at knee. Soft pastel shades. Regular sizes... **\$1**



### Women's Sample Union Suits

One lot assorted sizes and styles, cut full, well made, while 300 garments last... **69c**

### \$1.00 Junior Underwear

Gowns—Billie Burkes, combinations and princess slips, ages 4 to 14, lace and embroidery trimmed, crisp dainty Summer underthings for the kiddies... **69c**

### Boys' Athletic Union Suits

Pin check main-body, elastic band in back, fine quality, full sized, ages 4 to 16. Special value... **39c**

### Boys' Knitted Union Suits

66c value, in fine white—balbriggan rayon trimmed, full sized, ages 4 to 16. Special value... **45c**

### Men's Shirts and Drawers

Men's halbriggan in ecru color, short sleeves, fine quality, ankle length, special value... **43c**

### Men's Union Suits

Full cut splendidly made Athletic Union Suits of fine pin check flannelette, elastic band in back. Sizes 36 to 48. Special value... **79c**

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### Extraordinary Sale



### Wednesday in

### New Dresses

You will find many new styles in big Dress Sale Wednesday. Styles, miss and matron. Colors and materials suit the most discriminating, yet you will be delighted with.

## Wash Goods

English Grandmother Chintz 4 Yard, 50c  
98c Plain de Chine 4 Yard, 40c

A new shipment of this fine quality Chintz, printed in beautiful neat patterns on white and tinted grounds.

## Electric Sewing

Just 35 in This Lot

On Club Plan No Interest Charged

Singer, Western Electric

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Buy on The Morris Plan—25 to 50 Weeks to Pay

The New  
**Nugents**  
The Store for ALL the People

A Permanent Wave  
For the Summer Months

For the Summer months a Permanent Wave is ideal—our competent operators assure you the best in permanent waving. A wave you are sure to be satisfied with.  
**\$15**  
(Nugents—Second Floor, South.)

New Fur Trimmings  
By the Yard

All new shades of fur in gray, brown and beige, good widths for your new spring coat and other trimmings. Yard.  
**\$1.59**  
(Nugents—Main Floor, South.)

Women's Silk Hose  
Full Fashioned

Full-fashioned thread silk hose with little top, well reinforced heels and toes. Come in black and wanted colors. Some are irregulars of a well-known brand. Sizes 8½ to 10.  
**\$1**  
(Nugents—Main Floor, North.)

Special  
Spectacle Sale  
Choice of five styles of frames. Complete with deep curve spherical lenses and examination of your eyes. Complete.  
**\$3.65**  
(Nugents—Main Floor, South.)

## Our Annual Spring Sale of Home Needs Continues

Extraordinary Sale of New Sports



# Coats

To choose a smart sports Coat of fine tailored lines, is to choose wisely, for the fashions of Spring call for just such garments as these.

\$20 to \$25 Values

Styles  
for  
Miss  
and  
Matron

# \$15

Some charming Capes are also included in this group. Mannish Lapels, Novel Collars and large Button Trim.

Styles

Mannish Topcoats Cape Effects  
Beautifully Tailored Coats, Sport Plaids  
Novelty Coats and Double-Breasted Coats

Materials

New Plaids Smart Checks  
Striped Novelty Materials  
and New Mixtures

Wednesday in the Dress Sale

New Dresses Added for This Event

You will find many new styles added to this big Dress Sale Wednesday. Styles and sizes for miss and matron. Colors and materials that will suit the most discriminating, yet at a price you will be delighted with.

# 2 for \$21

(Nugents—Second Floor, North.)

## Wash Goods

English Grandmother Chintz  
4 Yard, 50c

98c Plain Crepe de Chines  
4 Yard, 49c

79c Rayon Chiffon  
4 Yard, 59c

New Rayon Plaids  
4 Yard, 79c

A new shipment of this fine quality Chintz, printed in beautiful neat patterns on white and tinted grounds.

88-inch silk-mixed Crepe de Chines, in all the wanted plain shades. Makes lovely undergarments and dresses. Washable.

88-inch Rayon Chiffon of very beautiful, lustrous finish. Comes in all the wanted plain shades. Washable.

A fine quality, lustrous Rayon Chiffon, woven in plaids and striped effects. Wonderful colorings. Is washable. 88-inch wide.

(Nugents—Main Floor, South.)

## Electric Sewing Machines

Each Fully Guaranteed and Have Foot Control—With Attachments

# \$26.50

Standard makes and models in renewed and marred stock, including floor samples. Some makes limited. Select early.

On Club Plan No Interest Charged



Singer, Western Electric, Davis Make, Pettis and Many Others  
(Nugents—Third Floor, South.)

## Wednesday—Baby Day

French Handmade Dresses  
\$2.25 and \$2.50 Values  
**\$1.85**

French nainsook, in yoke and straightline models. Hand embroidered, briar stitched and tucked.

Quilted Pads  
69c Values  
**42c**

Muslin covered pads; quilted and bound. Filled with washable cotton. Size 18x34 inch.

New Spring Sweaters  
\$1.95 to \$2.50 Values  
**\$1.50**

Baby's first sweaters, knit of soft white wool yarn. Many styles trimmed with fancy borders or dainty rosebuds.

Baby Blankets  
\$1.95 Values  
**\$1.49**

Large size, heavy fleeced. Pink or blue shades with attractive nursery figures. Bound edge. Size 36x50 inch.

Baby Layette  
\$19.75 Value  
**\$14.50**

Complete in every detail. Come in the proper weight for Baby's health and comfort. Set includes forty pieces.

Baby's Summer Gowns  
\$1.39 Values  
**\$1.00**

French nainsook, in bishop style; button front, hand sewn and finished with deep hem. Infants' sizes to 2 years.

## Floor Samples of Nursery Furniture

Unusual Savings on samples and odd pieces that have become soiled and imperfect. Bassinets, screened cribs, high chairs, wardrobes in wicker and wood, toilet baskets, etc. In white or ivory finish.

A Complete Line of Kiddies' Spring Needs in Our Infants' Section.



**1/4 1/3 1/2 Off**  
(Nugents—Second Floor, South.)

## Silks New Spring and Summer Silks

\$2.50, \$2.75, \$2.98 Qualities

40-Inch Flat Crepe and Crepe de Chines—Extra heavy quality. In light and dark colors.  
40-Inch Printed Crepe de Chines—In new light and dark colors.  
40-Inch Bengaline Silk and Wool Fabrics—In light and dark colors.  
32-Inch Silk Broadcloth—In neat stripes or plain colors.  
36-Inch Foulard Silks—In neat designs.  
34-Inch Semi-Rough Pongee Silks—In new Spring shades or ivory.  
36-Inch Chiffon Taffetas—In new light and dark colors.

Wednesday

# \$1.98

A Yard

(Nugents—Main Floor, South.)

## Best Values in Wall Paper

18c to 25c Papers

Novelty Papers  
Wednesday, **12½c**  
a Roll.

See this offering of new patterns. The wide choice will surprise you. There is a suitable Paper for any room in the home.

Novelty Papers

29c to \$1.00 Roll

The latest effects that are being used can easily be chosen from our complete stock of these new Papers.

## Paperhanging Service

Many are taking advantage of this service. Our decorators are experts and if you desire an appointment we advise it being made at an early date.

(Nugents—Third Floor, South.)

The Very Latest Novelty to Make

## Yarn Handmade Bird Cage

The life-like bird requires no upkeep; for once the little creature is placed in the colorful yarn cage, he does nothing but lend a touch of novelty to your porch, living room or bedroom.

Package contains a hand tinted imported stuffed bird, wire for perch, sufficient yarn for cage and pendant, bone ring for hanging and special needle for working. May be had in eight styles and combinations of colors. Make a few for yourself or let the children do it.

Models on Display in Art Needlework Dept.  
(Nugents—Main Floor, South.)

15c Cordonnet Crochet Cotton Ball

Coates and Royal Society Cordonnet Crochet Cotton. White, linen and colors. In different sizes, at the very low price of.

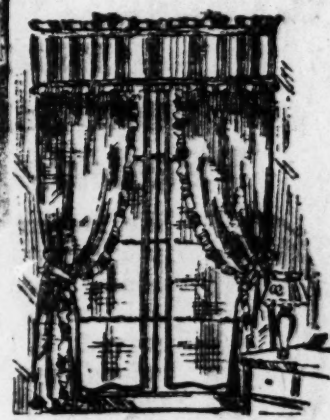
**10c**  
a ball  
Box of ten Balls, 90c  
(Nugents—Main Floor, South.)

\$6.75 Art. Silk Casement  
Curtains

Specially Priced for  
Wednesday Only, Pair

# \$4.55

190 pair specially priced for Wednesday's Selling. These new Casement Curtains, in neat Jacquard effects. 38 inches wide and 2½ yards long. Neatly hemmed at bottom and trimmed with 3-inch artificial silk Bullion fringe. Shown in the wanted ponce color.



\$1.15 Scalloped Shades

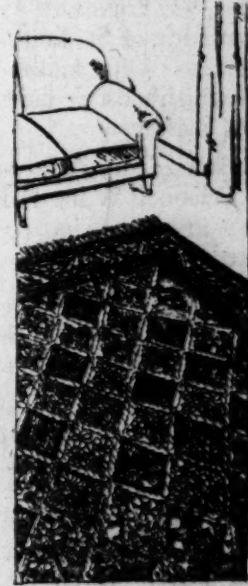
600 opaque window Shades. 36 inches wide and 7 feet long. Scalloped bottom and trimmed with bullion fringe. These Shades are mounted on guaranteed rollers and are shown in yellow and gray. Each.  
**79c**  
(Nugents—Third Floor, South.)

Imperfects of 9x12 High-Grade  
Axminster and Wilton Velvet

# Rugs \$38.75

Twenty-five of these Rugs at a quick disposal. Woven without seams to give the best service. Finest made in these two particular grades. Beautiful Oriental designs with colors to satisfy anyone's choice. An opportunity time to purchase these fine Rugs at this big saving.

If perfect would sell at \$59.00  
(Nugents—Third Floor, South.)



## Two Wednesday Specials



\$19.50 Nugents  
Imperial  
Mattresses

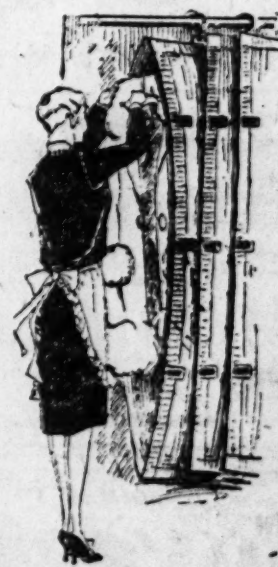
All layer felt Mattress, in 50-lb. weight, with four row stitching. Stain art ticking cover. Guaranteed not to mat, lump or sag. Wednesday.  
**\$14.95**



\$7.50 Fiber  
Rockers

Brown finished fiber Rockers with full roll arms, close-fitting woven seats. Have wire stakes. Wednesday.  
**\$4.98**  
(Nugents—Fourth Floor, North.)

Protect Your Garments During the  
Summer Months in These



## Mothproof Garment Bags

(Side-Opening)  
A New Shipment of  
Absolutely Mothproof Side-Opening Bags

28x57-Inch  
Size **48c**

Each Bag with hooks for garments—suitable for fine clothing, blankets, wool goods, etc. Cedarized and chemically treated so there is no offensive odor.

Mothproof, Dustproof  
Vermiproof  
Regular 75c Value  
(Nugents—Fourth Floor, South.)

Only  
Largest  
Basement  
SSES



\$12.00

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Boys' 2-Trouser "Longie" Suits

All-wool fabrics, one pair long trousers, one pair knickerbockers, coat and vest. Smart new Spring patterns. Sizes 7 to 17.  
**\$8.95**

Boys' Spring Reefers

In tweeds and cassidans, all new, Spring styles and patterns, sizes to 8. \$2.95 values.  
**\$2.98**

Boys' Cricket Sweaters

New Jacquard weaves, worsted and wool sweaters, novelty patterns. Sizes 7 to 17. Valid to 5:30 p.m. only.  
**\$1.89**  
(Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

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Gertrudes, wrappers and gowns, well-made garments with dainty pink and blue edging.  
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Infants' Shirts

Double-breasted pin-back style or button front in cotton or cotton and wool. Sizes 1 to 2 years.  
**3 for \$1**  
(Bargain Basement.)

## Family

Athletic Suits

Dark main body and light band in quality, full length, full sleeves, full collar.  
**39c**

Knitted Suits

Dark in fine fabric, full length, full sleeves, full collar, full buttons.  
**45c**

Shirts

Dark in fine fabric, full length, full sleeves, full collar, full buttons.  
**43c**

Union Suits

Dark in fine fabric, full length, full sleeves, full collar, full buttons.  
**79c**

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## ADVERTISEMENT

## Locating the Five Wives

Mr. B— is a St. Louis business man.

Mr. B— has learned how to use profitably and successfully all known modern conveniences in his business—from the latest office device to the ever-growing power of publicity.

As a Real Estate counselor, Mr. B— sometimes has odd problems to solve. Of course, he selects the most direct route to reach the desired results—and he gets the results desired. This all leads to a letter with a helpfulness tone written recently to the Post-Dispatch by Mr. B— who has his office in one of the large office buildings downtown.

The letter reads:

Dear Sirs— Three Sundays, recently, I availed myself of the Personal Column of your valued newspaper and the results were 100 per cent. Last Sunday I advertised for the Third, Fourth, and Fifth wife of John S— Monday evening I had located the Fourth and Fifth wife and also HAD learned that the Third wife was dead. The thought occurs to me that the public overlooks this important function of the Post-Dispatch—the "POST-DISPATCH QUICK MESSAGE" Service. Yours truly, B—

That flash-it-out-quickly idea of Mr. B— is important in the economic life of St. Louis. It is the means of accomplishing things which must be done with quick messages.

A witness is needed. A Post-Dispatch Personal Want Ad finds him—in time to go on with the trial.

A lost member of the family leaves an estate unsettled. A Post-Dispatch Personal Want Ad finds the missing heir.

A home is broken. A misunderstanding has sent one member out into the world. The appeal goes forth—a heart appeal through a personal want ad in the Post-Dispatch—to bring happiness back to a whole family and keep a loved one from letting a mistake mar his own and others' future. The seemingly impossible is accomplished.

These quick messages are doing the needed tasks—carrying the messages to the Garcias out in the populous city, where a human being could be lost as effectually as a wanderer can be off in the forest wilds, but for the "Quick Message" of publicity through the Post-Dispatch, which reaches far more readers in St. Louis than any other newspaper.

Does the public appreciate this quick message service?

Certainly, it is by those who know. The Post-Dispatch prints many more such purely personal want ad messages than all the other St. Louis newspapers combined.

But—this Post-Dispatch supremacy in classified advertising goes far beyond the Personal Column.

In the Employment advertising group last year the Post-Dispatch printed 14,000 more advertisements than the three other St. Louis newspapers combined; in the Business Opportunities and financial group the excess was more than 13,000; in the Automobiles, Horses and Vehicles more than 44,000; in the other For Sales and Miscellaneous group more than 51,000, and in the big Real Estate, House, Home and Boarding group the excess figures mounted to more than 104,000—in totals nearly a quarter of a million more separate classified Real Estate and Want Ads than all the other St. Louis newspapers combined.

Service to readers and advertisers has built up this phenomenal classified leadership of the Post-Dispatch and made it indeed the People's Popular Want Medium of St. Louis.

Thank you, Mr. B—. A better knowledge of how to use this publicity may be of service to other readers of the Post-Dispatch (134)

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MAUNA LOA ERUPTION  
APPARENTLY ENDED

Only Feeble Fountains of Fire Visible on Mountain Top; Whole Village Buried.

By the Associated Press.

HILO, T. H., April 20.—Mauna Loa, the "Long Mountain," quivered, spouted forth several feeble fountains of fire and calmly dozed into a comparatively peaceful sleep last night.

The volcano's last gesture was to send a lava flow racing at 20 to 25 miles an hour into the sea for several hours yesterday afternoon just before its activity receded.

The great volcano that for six days had been heaving up millions of tons of liquid fire from a half dozen different sources, turning its graceful, long slopes into weird, fanciful-appearing heaps of moraine, last night was smoldering only intermittently. While dark clouds of steam arose from parts of its desultory spillways and scattered over the southern side.

**Native Village Burned.**  
Dr. J. A. Jagger, in charge of the volcano observatory, declined to predict what further disturbance may be expected, but he was positive that the volcano had not yet completed its present eruptive period.

Severe earthquakes rocked the Kau district last yesterday morning, while Halemauama, the pit of Kilauea, continued its avalanches. The native village of Hoopua offered pigs, herbs and distilled liquor to Pele, but the molten rock steam from Mauna Loa rolled over the homes of the hundred inhabitants Saturday. Some of the residents fled in canoes. Others, warned by the clouds of smoke and steam, had time to drive flocks of sheep to other villages.

**Airmen Describe Eruption.**

As the red-hot lava poured through the village it set afire 15 buildings and covered the ruins. The beach where the natives had launched their fishing boats was covered by smoking rock. From the sea arose clouds of steam like the exhaust of a thousand locomotives as the lava formed a new promontory on the ocean bed.

Three army airplanes returned to Luke Field here last night, after spectacular flights over Mauna Loa late yesterday afternoon, and reported the Kona flow "absolutely dead," and the Kahuku flow active only a hundred feet from its source.

## BIG INCREASE IN TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES AND SPAIN

Relatively Large Balance in Favor of America Partly Responsible for Low Value of Peseta.

MADRID, April 20.—Increase in trade between the United States and Spain in the last few years has been remarkable. From 1913 to 1925 American exports to Spain increased 200 per cent, while Spanish exports to the United States went up 145 per cent.

The latest figures published here show 265,000,000 pesetas (\$53,000,000) for imports from the United States in the first six months of 1925, as compared to 422,000,000 pesetas (\$84,000,000) for all of 1924. The export figures for the same periods were \$9,000,000 pesetas (\$18,000,000) and \$9,000,000 pesetas (\$18,000,000).

Raw cotton is the mainstay of United States exports to Spain, but motor cars and lorries, which increased from 1,000,000 pesetas (\$200,000) to 74,000,000 (\$14,800,000) between 1913 and 1924, and petroleum, petrol and lubricating oils contribute.

The relatively large trade balance in favor of the United States is in part responsible for the low value of the peseta. The Compania Nacional de Telefonos, formed by an amalgamation of American and Spanish interests, which is reorganizing the entire telephone service in Spain, is making satisfactory progress.

## YOUTH WHO MARRIED TEACHER BARRED FROM SCHOOL

H. W. Ferrill Asked Not to Attend Classes at Soldan High Until Case is Acted Upon.

John Rush, Powell, principal of Soldan High School, who yesterday informed H. Ward Ferrill, 19-year-old student who married his teacher three months ago at Cobden, Ill., that he need not attend school until William J. S. Bryan, Assistant Superintendent of Instruction, rules on his case, declared today he never would have allowed Ferrill to enter Soldan had he known he was a married man.

"I am not suspending or expelling Ferrill," Powell said. "I am merely asking him not to attend school until Mr. Bryan makes a ruling on his case. While there is no Board of Education rule preventing a married man from attending school I do not think that the association of one not only older than they, but married, Ferrill is only in his second year and consequently associated with children far younger than he. Of course he is a very nice chap."

Ferrill married Miss Alma Hock, 23 years old, a teacher at the Cobden, Ill., high school, while he was attending that school. He entered Soldan Feb. 2. Mr. and Mrs. Ferrill reside at 5157 Kensington avenue.

**Two-Year Term for Embezzler.**  
After pleading guilty of embezzlement of \$424 from the All Metal Manufacturing Co., Nov. 7, 1925, Thomas J. Murray, 29 years old, was sentenced to two years in prison by Circuit Judge Frey yesterday. He admitted that he had taken the money from the company's safe, to which he had access.

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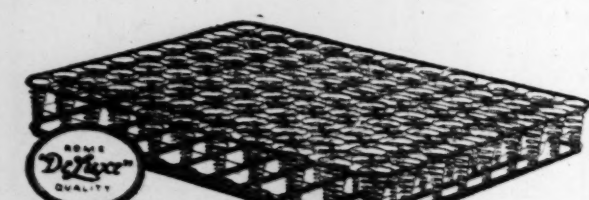
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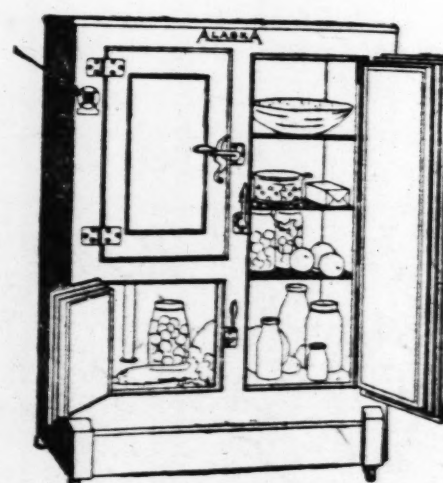
Sale of Refrigerators  
Wednesday Only

Wednesday we launch a One-Day Sale of our entire stock of Refrigerators. We have a very complete line from which to make a selection, including the well-known Leonard make, so if in need of a Refrigerator now, or for delivery in May... Wednesday is the day to purchase it, as these prices will apply WEDNESDAY only.

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(100-Lb. Ice Capacity)

This Refrigerator is made by the same people who make the well-known Leonard Refrigerator... made of selected ash, golden oak finish. It has an ice capacity of 100 pounds... provision chamber white enamel-lined. An exceptional value, Wednesday only at **\$30.50**



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tinctly different from the  
other big brands);*

*If as yet you have never  
tasted a "Virginia tobacco"  
cigarette (and without this  
agreeable experience no  
man's cigarette knowledge  
is complete);*

*If you once knew but have  
half-forgotten its mild sweet-  
ness, its zest and sparkle, and  
now would like to enjoy them  
anew.*

In fact, the remarkable record  
of this big brand and the reasons  
behind it should interest all men  
who care enough for their smokes  
to think twice about them.

**O**F THE five leading cigarettes in  
the United States today, four are  
"Turkish Blends"—that is, blends  
of Turkish and American tobaccos.  
Each is distinctive, of course—in pro-  
portioning of tobaccos and in taste—but  
each contains at least some mea-  
sure of Turkish blended in with its  
Domestic tobaccos. The fifth, the one  
big exception, is a cigarette made solely  
from the golden leaf known as "Vir-  
ginia tobacco."

Piedmont, of course—we hardly need  
to name it. Ranking today among the  
top four in sales, it has been steadily  
among the leaders for twenty-five con-  
secutive years—more than the whole  
life of any other "big" brand.

## The one big exception!

Now, if it takes a corking good ciga-  
rette of any type, as it certainly does, to  
sell several billion a year, it surely must  
take a "regular humdinger" to win sales  
against the mighty current of popular  
taste.

And that is exactly what Piedmont  
has done. For in the last 10 or 15 years  
this country as a whole has turned  
noticeably toward the "Turkish Blend"  
type of cigarette—yet against four to  
one odds, Piedmont has actually held its  
place among the leaders, year after year.

Apparently in every new generation  
of smokers there are men, and a goodly

number of them, to whom something  
"out of the ordinary" has a real appeal.  
Herbert Spencer said: "the minority is  
always right;" and at any rate these  
smokers who have left the crowded  
road to take a path of their own choos-  
ing must have found it pleasant—for  
they do stick to Piedmonts without end.

## What lies behind this unique record?

But it is the different *taste* of Pied-  
monts that really counts.

It must be a matter of taste differ-  
ence, for you will find Piedmont in the  
cigarette cases of prosperous New York

and Chicago brokers, and in the pock-  
ets of workmen, who from their limited  
tobacco money must extract the last  
ounce of pleasure; you will find it the  
favorite among old tobacco men in the  
South, trained to match one leaf against  
another; and you will find it ever pop-  
ular, on either coast, with men who  
follow the sea. Probably no other ciga-  
rette is smoked by more diverse types  
of people.

And this is important—for it means  
that Piedmont is chosen, *not* because  
"everybody's doing it," but for *itself*—  
because it possesses a genuine tobacco  
difference which any smoker of any  
class can recognize.

## A genuine difference— tobacco sweetness!

The explanation of Piedmont's record,  
then, is simple. Virginia tobacco is  
different from other tobaccos, always  
has been, and always will be—and  
Piedmont is made of first-quality  
"bright" Virginia tobacco, and noth-  
ing else.

And if you like mildness and unmixed  
purity of flavor, if you like that inde-  
scribable thing which we call "natural  
tobacco sweetness," you'll like Virginia  
tobacco—and you'll get it at its best  
in Piedmont.

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Probably no other  
cigarette is smoked  
by more diverse types  
of people.

## Just what IS this Virginia tobacco?



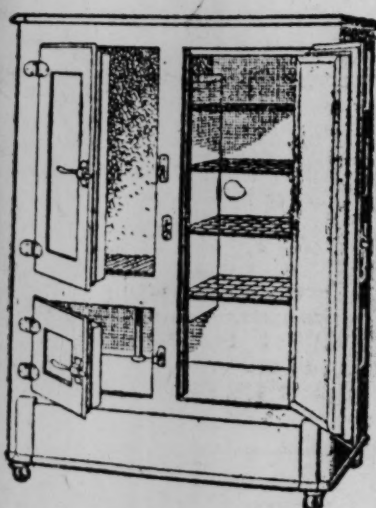
It is a distinct type of tobacco grown in certain  
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Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia. The golden  
or "bright" Virginia used in Piedmont is a direct  
descendant of the first tobacco known to civilized  
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By the Associated Press.  
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out \$500,000 more.

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MODERN dental science has discovered a new way in tooth and gum care. Off-color teeth thus are quickly whitened, restored to sparkling clearness. Tender gums are firmed, given healthy coral color.

One's whole appearance thus is often amazingly changed in this way. Famous movie stars use it before going on a scene as an essential part of their "make-up." That's largely why movies' smiles are so glistening.

Leading dental authorities now widely urge it. For it marks a new era in tooth and gum protection. Please accept a full 10-day tube to test. You'll find your teeth are not naturally off color... simply coated with a dingy film that clouds them.

*Just a film hiding them  
And imperiling your gums*

Dental science now traces scores of tooth and gum troubles to a germ-laden film that forms on your teeth.

Run your tongue across your teeth and you will feel it—a slippery, viscous coating.

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## ROBBER, INVITED INTO STORE, HOLDS IT UP

Young Man, Clerk Saw Gazing  
Into Window, Escapes With  
\$400 in Cash.

When a man gazes into the show window of Samuel Schultz's clothing store at 1416 Franklin avenue, Mr. Schultz or his employees try to induce him inside and sell him something. Last night, Schultz's clerk, Samuel Abrams, persuaded a highwayman to come in. The robber got \$400 cash and more than \$200 in jewelry.

A young man was standing at the window as if undecided whether to go in the store. Abrams went out and prevailed on him to come in. The man examined suits and labored over the style books. He took a fancy to the suit worn by Abrams, but said he would like a different design.

"Who's the boss around here?" he asked. Abrams pointed to Schultz. "Well, I'll do my business with him," said the man. He advanced to Schultz, drew a revolver and commanded: "Stick 'em up." He marched Schultz, Abrams, Samuel Binkin, tailor, and Joe Johnson, Negro porter, into a rear room. There he found some rope and compelled Johnson to bind Abrams and Schultz hand and foot. Then he ordered Johnson to release Schultz, and compelled the owner to open the safe, which was empty. After that Johnson tied Schultz up again.

The robber took \$400 from the cash register, a tie pin valued at \$200 from Schultz, and a watch each from Abrams, Binkin and Schultz. Finally, he required Johnson and Binkin to remove their trousers which he tossed into a corner of the store as he ran out.

## ACCEPTS LIFE TERM RATHER THAN FACE JURY OF VETERANS

Russell Leroy Miller, 21, Pleads  
Guilty of Murdering Mrs.  
Callie Black Dec. 6.

A sentence of life imprisonment was passed upon Russell Leroy Miller, 21 years old, yesterday afternoon, when for the second time he decided to plead guilty of the murder of Mrs. Callie Black, 25, of 3378 Delmar boulevard, the night of Dec. 6.

After it was brought out that 11 of the first 24 veniremen being examined for jury duty had served with the army in France, Miller acted on the advice of his attorney and entered the plea. On the day of the night she was slain, Mrs. Black had acted as a volunteer in selling flowers for the relief of disabled veterans of the World War. Her body with the skull crushed, was found the next morning in the alley in the rear of 3345 Delmar boulevard.

Miller was arrested and confessed that he had been with Mrs. Black, who was not living with her husband, on the night of Dec. 6 and had struck her with a piece of water pipe. When the case was pending before Circuit Judge Mix, Miller offered to enter a plea of guilty, but changed his mind when the judge sent back word that he would impose the death penalty if he did so.

A change of venue was taken, and the case came up before Judge Landwehr yesterday afternoon. Miller's attorney, Robert Callahan, entered the plea of guilty shortly after the opening of the afternoon session.

## 'ABIE'S IRISH ROSE' AUTHOR SUES FILM MEN FOR \$3,000,000

Alleges Plagiarism in Universal  
Corporation's "The Cohens  
and the Kellys."

NEW YORK, April 20.—Anne Nichols, author and producer of "Abie's Irish Rose," has filed suit in Federal court for \$3,000,000 damages and an injunction against the Universal Pictures Corporation of the United States, Carl Laemmle and Harry Pollard, alleging plagiarism of her play in the movie production, "The Cohens and the Kellys." Miss Nichols charges that while the Universal Corporation contends it made "The Cohens and the Kellys" from a play by Aaron Hoffman, entitled "Two Blocks Away," practically the whole film was, in fact, constructed around her play.

A copy of the manuscript of "Abie's Irish Rose" was filed and Miss Nichols asks that the defendant be required to file a copy of the scenario of their photoplay within 20 days.

"Abie's Irish Rose," which has broken all records for a continuous run, is completing its fourth year as a Broadway production.

## "SUNSHINE HOLMES" IN PRISON

One Man Life Insurance Company  
Begins Term at Danville, Ill.  
Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DANVILLE, Ill., April 20.—"Sunshine" Holmes, who operated two one-man life insurance companies in East St. Louis for a year and a half with no more substantial office furniture than a post-office lock box, is serving six months' sentence in the county jail here. The Federal Court sent him to prison here on his plea of guilty to a charge of using the mails to defraud in connection with his operation of the Sunshine Mutual Association and the Kenos Mutual Union, two fictitious insurance companies.

Postoffice inspectors investigated his activities after it became known that his companies were paying no death premiums.

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# ADmits HE KIDNAPED CHILD

By the Associated Press.  
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"I regard Gude's Pepto-Mangan as one of the best tonics."  
"I have obtained very excellent results with Gude's Pepto-Mangan in cases of simple anemia. Am a prescriber of it where indicated."  
"I have been prescribing Gude's Pepto-Mangan now for quite a number of years. I have always found it a valuable tonic and the extremely pleasant and palatable form in which Pepto-Mangan is prepared, combined with its easy assimilation, has rendered it invaluable to me in my practice."  
"I have used it for 15 years with always the uniform good results."

## PENALTY IN WILLIAMS' TRIAL NOT ANNOUNCED

Marine Colonel Likely to Be Reduced in Rank or Numbers.

By the Associated Press.  
SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 20.—Col. Alexander S. Williams should know within two weeks whether he is to be dismissed from the Marine corps, reduced in rank, or dropped to a lower file on the promotion list for being drunk at a dinner party he gave in honor of Brigadier-General Smedley D. Butler.

The Colonel's conviction on a charge of intoxication, preferred by Gen. Butler, was indicated yesterday when the courtmartial trying his case adjourned without saying what, if any, verdict it had reached. The officers familiar with courtmartial procedure explained, was the court's way of breaking the news to the defendant with the utmost courtesy permissible under naval regulations.

After the findings of the court have been perused by the Judge Advocate-General of the Navy and passed on to Secretary Wilbur, and the defendant has had time to become accustomed to his conviction, he will be informed of the penalty. Dismissal from the service is the maximum penalty under naval regulations, but in a case such as the present one, in which intoxication on duty is not involved, the punishment usually does not exceed reduction in rank or numbers.

Reduction in numbers would not, in the opinion of officers here, strike a serious blow at the Colonel's career, for there are only 10 Colonels junior to him on the promotion list.

Col. Williams declined to comment on the outcome of his trial. Rear Admiral Thomas Washington, president of the court, will go through the formalities of signing the record of yesterday's proceedings, after which the members of the tribunal will return to their stations.

Engineer Killed in Railroad Yards.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MOBILE, Mo., April 20.—Albert L. Trumbo, an engineer for the Wabash Railway Co., was instantly killed in the yards here this morning when he was struck by a switch engine. He had been in the employ of the railroad company for 20 years.

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# FAMOUS-BARR CO.

Basement Economy Store News



Wednesday, Women and Misses May Share in This Extraordinary

## Sale of 1100 Spring Dresses

Offering Extra Values at the Low Price of

Here is a group that is bound to appeal. There are eleven hundred attractive Dresses, affording choice of over one hundred new styles, each one trimmed in the newest effective ways. They are cleverly fashioned of flat crepe, printed crepe, Georgette, border prints and attractive Georgette over prints. Among the many styles are straightline and two-piece effects as well as smart Eton and flared models. Included are a number of smoked Dresses that are also quite popular.

There are Dresses for women and misses and kinds that are suitable for many occasions. New favored Spring shades as well as navy and black are shown.

Basement Economy Store

In the Basement Curtain Section, Wednesday—

## Drapery Rayon

\$1.25 and \$1.75 Values

**79c**

Beautiful Rayon Drapes in rich color combinations. Choose from striped, floral and small all-over figured designs. Suitable for door and window drapes. 36 inches wide.

49c Cretonne

Cretonnes in bird, floral and conventional patterns. Ideal for drapery, cushions, etc. 26 inches wide.

Yard 29c

Window Shades  
Opaque Window shades in sand shade. With scalloped bottom and bullion fringe. 26x72-inch size. Seconds of \$1 grade

63c

Fringed Curtains

Fringed casement net Curtains in beige tint. Finished with bullion fringe. \$2.50 value, special, the

\$2.29

25c Curtains

Flute and Nottingham weave Lace Curtains in beige and ivory tint. 36 inches wide and 2 1/4 yards long.

Pair \$1.59

Basement Economy Store

A Very Unusual Selling of Thousands of

## Linen Dresses

Imperfect \$2.95 Grade, at

**\$1.44**

Dresses that you'll want for street and sports wear, offered in ten attractive styles. The new neck-lines, new two-in-one and Peter Pan collars, vestees of organdie and pique and other trimmings are in evidence.

Shown in pink, blue, tan, green, orchid and white. Sizes 36 to 46.

Basement Economy Store

## Splendid Saving Opportunity On Trimmed Hats

\$2.50 and \$3 Values,

**\$1.45**



Several hundred Hats in this collection! Fashioned of good quality materials, in bright shades as well as black. Trimmed in clever ways with flowers and fancy pins.

Basement Economy Store

## Wednesday—Offering of Girdle Belts

\$1.25 and \$1.50 Values

**95c**



These are short Girdle Belts for misses or small women. Of various materials, with deep sections of elastic. Offered in a good range of sizes.

50c Bandeaux

Bandeaux of fancy striped material in uplift styles. All are back-fastening models. Sizes 32 to 38 included. Special in this sale at

35c

Basement Economy Store

## Pillows and Mattresses

At Splendid Savings, Wednesday

Felt Mattresses

\$11 Value, for

**\$8.95**

Mattresses of all-layer Cotton Felt, covered with art ticking. All standard sizes. Roll edge.

Feather Pillows

\$3.50 Value, Pair

**\$2.65**

Extra large 20x27-inch Pillows filled with new feathers and covered with art ticking.

Basement Economy Store

## Items of Interest, Wednesday, in These Offerings of Domestic and Cotton Goods

Note How You May Save on the Following—

\$2.50 Bedspreads

Special for

**\$1.98**

Crinkle Spread and bolster in one piece, measuring 81x103 inches. Ecru shade with wide blue stripes. Scalloped edge.

Cannon Bed Sheets

81x90-inch seamless, bleached Sheets with deep hem—free from dressing. Seconds of \$1.59 grade, each

\$1.29

Printed Voile

Seconds, Yard

**25c**

40-inch hard-twist Dress Voile in neat printed patterns. 49c grade.

39c Plain Voile

The Yard

**19c**

40-inch hard-twist Voile in pink, rose, blue, green, helio and white. 7 to 10 yard lengths.

19c Dress Gingham

Mill remnants of 27-inch Dress Gingham in checks and plaid patterns. Very special, the yard

10c

Bath Towels

Seconds, Each

**24c**

Bleached, double-thread terry cloth Towels in 20x40-inch size. 39c grade.

Basement Economy Store

Dress Linen

59c Value, Yard

**39c**

Imported 36-inch Dress Linen in Copen green, navy, tan and gray. Tubfast colors.

Basement Economy Store

**D.J.SMYTH D.D.S.**

Office Hours—9 to 1-2 to 5

Get acquainted with your dentist

To wait until you have a toothache before consulting your dentist is like locking the door after the horse is stolen. Your dentist is interested in preventing trouble in your mouth. Visit him at least twice a year and protect your teeth and health!

**4 out of 5 are his statistics**

YOUR own dentist will tell you that four people out of five past the age of forty are doomed, through carelessness, to contract pyorrhea, the dread disease of the gums that causes rheumatism, loss of teeth and general ill-health.

If you have pyorrhea see your dentist at once and follow his advice carefully.

Forhan's for the Gums is a scientific dentifrice, the formula of R. J. Forhan, D. D. S. It contains Forhan's Pyorrhea Liquid which has been used by dentists for the last 15 years in the treatment of pyorrhea.

If used in time Forhan's will prevent pyorrhea or, in co-operation with your dentist, will check its progress.

Brush your teeth with Forhan's night and morning. All druggists, 35c and 60c in tubes.

Formula of R. J. Forhan, D. D. S.

Forhan Company, New York

**Forhan's FOR THE GUMS**



MORE THAN A TOOTH PASTE . . . IT CHECKS PYORRHEA

## Electric Irons

\$5 Value; Wednesday for \$3.79

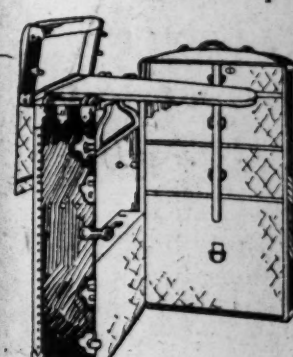
6-pound Electric Flatirons of "Univer brand—with reversible stand, connecting cord and plug.

Basement Economy Store

Select on the Sixth Floor

## Trunks and

Most Popular Styles—



\$22.50

Men's extra leather trunks with sewed corners

\$21.50

Steamer Wardrobe Trunks, a popular hanging arrangement of convenient fittings

\$45 Steamer

Steamer Wardrobe Trunks, with modern arrangement of edges; durable covering

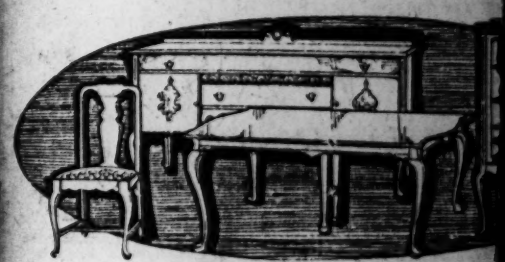
\$32.50 Wardrobe Trunks

Just 75 fiber-covered, bulge-top Wardrobe Trunks, reinforced with steel bands; have many conveniences

\$24.75

Specially Purchased From

## 25 Queen Anne



Mohair Suites

\$300 Value

**\$198**

Davenport and chair with solid mahogany frames and upholstery of excellent taupe colored mohair; full web construction—loose cushions.

Bedroom

\$300 Value

**\$248**

Bow-end bed with burl figured fronts, and construction through

An Unusually Pleasing

**\$48.50 Value**

Specially Priced Wednesday

**\$35.75**

9x12-ft. seamless Velvet Rugs with fringed ends, and patterns varied to meet every taste and need. Small and large all figures of Egyptian, Chinese and other designs. Colorings include mulberry, blue, rose and black on taupe grounds.

Woven of good grade yarns—lustrous and durable

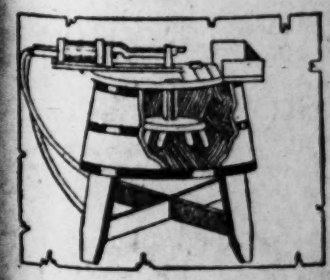
## Cork Linoleum

\$1.15 Value, Sq. Yd.

**85c**

Dutch tile and marble tile patterns in foot-wide printed Cork Linoleum—cover average room without a seam.

Profitable Offerings of



\$5.20 Wash Boilers

Heavy all copper Wash Boilers in full No. 8 size, with stationary handle and high tin cover

**\$3.65**

85c Galvanized Wash Tub, large

\$1.75 Sashcord Clotheslines, 100-ft.

\$3 Curtain Stretchers, brass pins

75c "Brass King" Wash Boards

\$4.00 Two-burner Gas Hot-plates

Water brass mop complete use—saves

Wooden brass mop

rubber easy run

\$7.25



Articles Excepted

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Basement Gallery

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We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2.00 in  
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Largest Distributors of Merchandise  
at Retail in Missouri and the West

Plaid Breakfast Sets

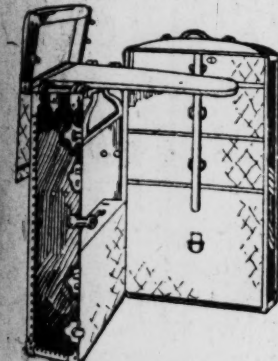
Exceptional Value, \$5

All-linen damask Breakfast Sets in colored  
plaid effects—finished with hemstitching; 64x  
54-inch cloth and six napkins.

Third Floor

## Select on the Sixth Floor Wednesday, if You Would Economize on Trunks and Hand Luggage

Most Popular Styles—All of High Grade—Kinds for Men and Women



\$32.50 Wardrobe Trunks

Just 75 fiber-covered, bulge-  
proof Wardrobe Trunks, re-  
fined with steel bands,  
conveniences..... \$24.75

\$22.50 Suitcases

Men's extra large Suitcases  
of genuine seal and cowhide  
leathers; straps all around  
and sewed..... \$14.95

\$21.50 Wardrobe Trunks

Steamer Wardrobe Trunks—  
a popular size—with good  
hanging arrangement and  
convenient..... \$15

\$45 Steamer Trunks

Steamer Wardrobe Trunks  
with modern hanging ar-  
rangements; scalloped round  
edges; durable fiber  
covering..... \$25

Round Hat Boxes

Smart looking Hat Boxes in  
round style, with new shir-  
red tray and pocket in lid;  
—well made;..... \$5

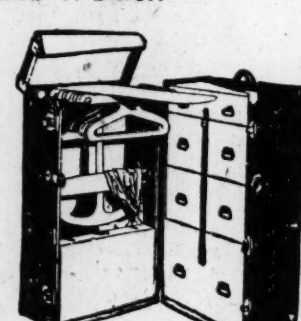
\$15 Suitcases

Women's round-edged Suit-  
cases finished in durable  
black enamel and at-  
tractively lined;..... \$8.50

New Fancy Cases

Traveling or toilet Cases in  
red, blue, green, brown or  
black, with mirror in lid and  
shirred pocket;..... \$3.95

Hat Boxes to match, \$5



\$50 Wardrobe Trunks

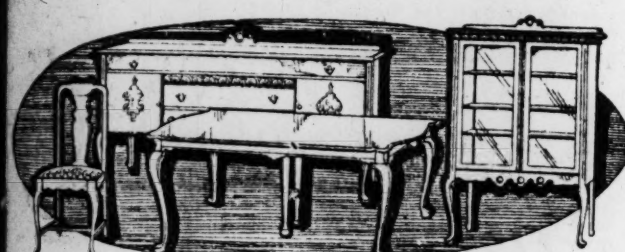
Full-size Wardrobe Trunks of  
splendid construction—equi-  
ped with all the wanted  
features; offered..... \$39.50

Sixth Floor

Specially Purchased From a Renowned Factory—and Presented Wednesday—

## 25 Queen Anne Dining-Room Suites

\$200 Value \$119.20  
for



Mohair Suites

\$300 Value

\$198

Davenport and chair with  
solid mahogany frames and  
upholstery of excellent taupe  
colored mohair; full web con-  
struction—loose cushions.

Bedroom Suites

\$300 Value

\$218

Bow-end bed, dresser, ward-  
robe and vanity dresser with  
burnt figured walnut tops and  
fronts, and dustproof con-  
struction throughout.

Dining Suites

\$375 Value

\$275

Excellent built Suites con-  
sisting of oblong dining table,  
serving table, 66-inch buffet,  
china cabinet, five chairs and  
an armchair.

Day Beds

\$45 Value

\$34.50

A very popular piece for living  
or other rooms; opens to full  
sized bed, with cretonne up-  
holstery and mahogany finish-  
ed ends.

Seventh Floor

An Unusually Pleasing Selection of Room-Size

## \$48.50 Velvet Rugs

Specially Priced Wednesday

\$35.75

9x12-ft. seamless Velvet Rugs with heavily  
fringed ends, and patterns varied to meet almost  
every taste and need. Small and large all over  
figures—of Egyptian, Chinese  
and other designs. Colorings  
include mulberry, blue, rose  
and black on taupe grounds.

Woven of good grade yarns  
—lustrous and durable



Cork Linoleum

\$1.15 Value,

Sq. Yd.... 85c

Dutch tile and marble tile patterns in 12-  
foot-wide printed Cork Linoleum—will  
cover average room without a seam.

Inlaid Linoleum

\$1.65 Value, \$1.29

Sq. Yd....

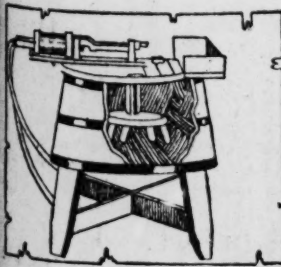
Newest patterns and color combinations in  
genuine Inlaid Linoleum—colors go  
through to the back.

Fifth Floor

Profitable Offerings of Laundry Needs Include These

## Washing Machines

\$16.95 Value... \$13.94



\$5.20 Wash Boilers

Heavy all copper Wash Boilers  
in full No. 8 size, with station-  
ary handle and high  
cover..... \$3.65

\$6 Galvanized Wash Tubs, large

\$1.75 Sashcord Clotheslines, 100-ft.

\$1.89

\$3 "Brass King" Wash Boards..... 53c

\$4.00 Two-burner Gas Hot-plates..... \$3.10

\$7.25 Wringers

Wooden frame Clothes Wring-  
ers fitted with warranted  
rubber rolls; very  
easy running..... \$5.95

\$11.95 Bench Wringers

Folding Bench Clothes Wring-  
ers with space for two tubs;  
fitted with warranted  
rubber rolls..... \$9.85

95c Laundry Step Stools, folding..... 75c

\$2.45 Clothes Hampers, round; with cover,

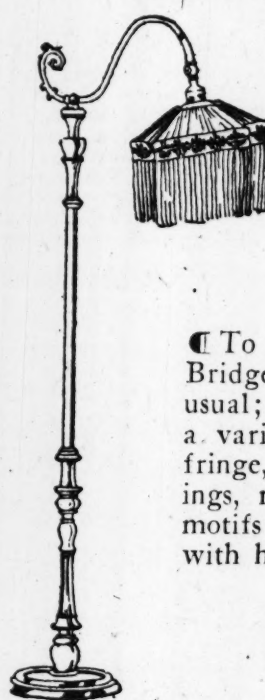
substantially constructed..... \$1.79

Star Soap; no mail or phone orders.

offered special Wednesday..... 10 for 43c

Basement Gallery

Special Offering of Bridge Lamp



## Shades

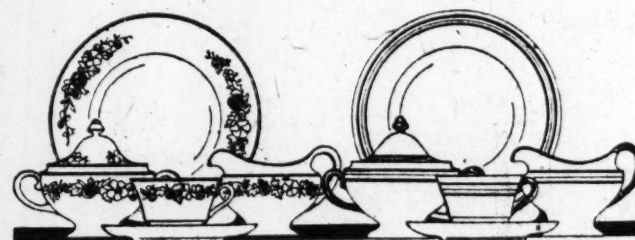
\$15 to \$17.50 Values, Each

\$12

To secure such ornamental  
Bridge Lamp Shades at \$12 is un-  
usual; included are silk Shades in  
a variety of shapes—some with  
fringe, others with braids, ruch-  
ings, medallions and applied  
motifs; also crystalline Shades  
with hand-painted designs.

Bridge Lamp Bases  
for the Above Shades  
Special at..... \$12.00

Fifth Floor



## \$25 Dinner Sets

—of American Semi-Porcelain

Special, \$15.95  
at.....

These 100-piece Sets, at this special price, can not help  
but appeal to those wanting a selection of attractive and  
serviceable tableware. The border designs are effective,  
with choice of several colorings.

Iced Tea Sets

Imported crackled glass  
Sets; a covered pitcher and  
six 12-ounce Tea Glasses.  
\$3.50 value..... \$1.69

\$6.95 Fern Boxes

—of concrete—in 1½x3x  
36-inch size. Quantity is  
limited—shipies  
Wednesday at..... \$4.89

Fifth Floor

For Spring and Summer Windows—Select These Dainty

## Ruffled Curtain Sets

\$5 Value, Special, Set

\$3.95

Curtains that are crisp and "airy" looking—  
yet with a touch of color that makes them very  
decorative. Of cream tinted voile, with rose, blue,  
gold or orchid ruffles—each pair complete with  
double-ruffled valance and tie-backs to match.  
They'll launder and wear splendidly, too.

The savings offered Wednes-  
day will prompt many to  
obtain several pairs.

Ruffled Curtains

Dainty marquisette Curtains with crossbar  
design—finished with full ruffles and tie-  
backs to match; very special  
Wednesday, the pair..... \$1.50



Fringed Curtains

Sheer shadow-weave Lace Curtains in floral  
and conventional designs—finished with du-  
rable scalloped edge and deep bul-  
lion fringe; special, pair..... \$6.95

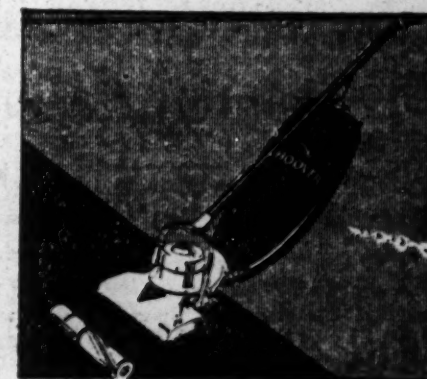
Fifth Floor

Every Modern Housewife Will Be Interested in Seeing

## The Greater Hoover

Special Intro- \$2 Cash, Balance  
ductory Terms... Monthly

The Greater Hoover is even better than the previous,  
widely popular model. You should inspect it promptly  
—and in all probability you'll want to obtain one when  
you've seen it. The new principle of "positive agitation"  
that it embodies is a real accomplishment in  
vacuum cleaner construction.



The Greater Hoover beats  
and sweeps up an average  
of 101%, more dirt in av-  
erage cleaning time.

It is an even greater rug  
saver, making your rugs  
wear far longer.

Its dust and germproof bag  
is now washable.

Let us demonstrate this  
Greater Hoover, in your  
home, by cleaning a rug for  
you—no charge or obliga-  
tion.

It is virtually serviceproof  
requiring no oiling.

It has 50% stronger suction  
for its dusting tools—  
making them remarkably  
efficient.

Basement Gallery



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## Expert Fur Repairing

Have your Furs put in order before storing them—Summer rates are now in effect, and when repairing amounts to \$25 or more no charge for storage is made.

Custom Fur Shop—Seventh Floor.

If Interested in Extreme Value-Giving, You Will Make Early Wednesday Selection From This Sale of

## \$35 to \$49.75 Spring Coats

—Many Specially Purchased for This Event—All in the Height of Fashion



Wide and Unusual Choice at .....

# \$29

Women's, Misses' and Extra Sizes

A really remarkable Coat offering—one that means decided economy for all who participate—the charm of all Coats making the savings even more acceptable. Jauntily correct sports models are of attractive novelty weaves—the fur-trimmed and embroidered models being of fashionable twills. All Coats are crepe lined and you will find the choice as varied as it will be profitable.

Cape, flared and straight Coats—in thistle-down, rose, tan, julep, cameo, redwood, sandal, sawdust and other Spring colors; also many of the popular black and navy Coats.

## \$59.75 to \$69.75 Coats

—For Street, Dress and All-Around Wear

# \$49.75

Women's, Misses' and Extra Sizes

This saving opportunity on Spring Coats of the loveliest types will greatly appeal—the latest modes being copiously represented. Straight, flared, circular and cape Coats—of charmeuse, bengaline, lorette, reps, twillbloom and imported mixtures—in the newest colors, as well as black and navy.

Spring Pelts form entire collars or are applied as edgings—other models are handsomely embroidered in self or contrasting shades.

Fourth Floor

Do Not Overlook the Economy in Our Value-Giving May

## Sale of Underwear

Silk and Cotton Kinds at Decided Savings—Only a Few Groups Shown Here

Sample Wear  
\$1.95 to \$3.95 Values  
**\$1 to \$1.95**

Gowns, Chemises, Slips, Step-ins and Bloomers—of batiste, voile and nainsook in white and light colors; plain and lace-trimmed garments.

### Philippine Wear

Hand made batiste slipover Gowns, Chemises, Slips and Step-ins—all with elaborate hand-embroidered designs, \$1.95 to \$2.50 values .....

**\$1.79**

Silk Wear  
\$2.95 to \$3.95 Values  
**\$2.66**

Crepe de chine and radium Chemises, step-ins and Bloomers in light colors; plain and fancy styles of various types.



Silk Underwear  
\$5.95 to \$8.95 Values  
Special **\$4.88** at .....

Lovely silk slipover Gowns, envelope and step-in Chemises, step-in and French Drawers; an exceptional choice in white and pastel shades.

### Cotton Lingerie

Voile and batiste Gowns, Slips, Chemises, Step-ins and Bloomers in white and colors—the majority with lace trimmings. All sizes. \$1 to \$1.50 values .....

**88c**

Wednesday Many More Will Fill Apparel Needs From These

## Special Groups of Silks

Four of the Most Fashionable Weaves at Exceptional Savings

Printed Crepe  
**\$2.50 Value, \$1.88**  
Yard .....

A remarkable variety of new patterns, printed on heavy all-silk Crepe de Chine, 40 inches wide. Most fashionable effects for frocks and accessories—floral, geometrical and small figured designs.

**\$2.98** Georgette Crepe

Heavy, firm quality all-silk Georgette Crepe in black and all the smart colors, including navy blue and bois de rose; 40 inches wide; yard .....

**\$2.19**

Flat Silk Crepe  
**\$2.98 Value, \$1.98**  
Yard .....

The popular and serviceable flat weave, all-silk Crepe de Chine of ideal frock weight; in a wide assortment of new colors, including black and white. 40 inches wide. A limited quantity.

**\$3.50** Canton Crepe

Heavy all-silk Canton Crepe—plain weave and soft finished; in black, navy blue and 15 other colors—40 inches wide. A limited quantity.

**\$2.50**

Select From This Group of Costume Slips

**\$5.98 Value**  
**\$3.75**

Very attractive Slips of heavy quality silk crepe de chine—made with bodice top, deep hip hem of self material and excellently tailored. In white and the new pastel shades. For Spring and Summer frocks—sizes 34 to 44.

**\$2.95** Pongee Slips  
Tailored styles, and others trimmed with hand-embroidered rose buds; hip hems of self material—all silk pongee; sizes 34 to 44 .....

**\$2.65**

For Stout Figures—Rubber Corselettes  
**\$6 and \$8 Values**

# \$3.50

In this unusual group are Warner's jersey-covered rubber and Bien Jolie Secretex models; also jersey-covered rubber Nemo models; in sizes 46 to 52 only.

**Bust Reducers**  
An odd lot of "Miracle" Bust Reducers; sizes 44, 46 and 48. \$5 and \$7.50 values .....

**\$3.00**

Get a Supply of This  
Typewriter Paper

Special, Ream... **79c**

Pure white, medium weight bond-finished Typewriter Paper in regulation size—3½x11 inches. 500 sheets to a ream—but just 100 reams offered at this advantageous price.

Main Floor

As Always on Wednesday, Our Infants' Shop Offers Unusual

## "Baby-Day" Specials

—Tiny Garments and Accessories Most Wanted Just Now

### Baby Dresses

\$5 Values—Special

# \$3.85

White, pink, light blue and peach-colored crepe de chine Dresses with nursery collars and embroidered sprays and ribbon trimming. Sizes 1 to 3 years.

### Baby Bonnets

\$1.50 Values at

# \$1.00

White, pink or blue organdie Bonnets; with lace edges; frills, hand stitching and wide ties.

**\$1.50 and \$2** Sweaters  
Slipover styles, front-tie waists and knitted caps—some embroidered. Infants to 2 years. Special .....

**\$1.19**

### Blankets

85c Values at

# 69c

Pink and blue "Esmond" make Blankets with nursery figures; 30x40 inches and splendidly fleeced.

### Nursery Seats

Collapsible white enameled wooden "Toylettes" for kiddies; easily fastened to any toilet. Special .....

**\$1.95**

### Baby Coats

\$3 and \$4 Values

# \$1.95

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Women's Step-in Drawers of Milanese silk; in flesh, Nile, orchid, maize, coral and peach shades. Sizes 5, 6 and 7.

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# \$1.09

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Children's serviceable knit cotton Suits with drop seat. Sizes 4 to 12.

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Sixth Floor

Editorial Page  
Daily Cartoon

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PART TWO.

## The Political Undertow Coming Election to Show Effect of Dry Heat

Press Now 4 to 1 as Anti-Saloon League Vote. But Wets Have Proved Case and Political Signs May Change—Possibility of Ambassador McKinley.

CHARLES MICHELSON, Correspondent of the Post and New York World. WASHINGTON, April 20. The 20 political wets in the States Senate; there are not unusual days in the same autumn.

The cause of Representatives is wetter, proportionately, on the side of the equation, but the wets are not so numerous as the present Congress may be counted on to go four to one in the Anti-Saloon League vote.

Senator Borah was other day, for an on the Senate stood town debt settlement. "I don't know," haven't checked up public leader.

This query referred to in the Senate of Kansas, the official majority, and instructions via Massachusetts.

Senator Swanson, the Democratic, passed the World Court in the McKinley's.

The defeat of Missouri in 1925 may bulk large in the result in nothing more than the election of perhaps may influence in a few new.

In 1925 it may be said that the President's third-term President for letting into the discard of the White House him, and say he over the good luck.

Kinley had stood to letter to anybody how he valued a note to McKinley's good luck.

The most surprising of the Illinois affair, suggestion that the consideration of the Brookhart was of Indiana is credit.

Such a move is practicable. To contest the prize in Iowa with C. probable result of primary comes on.

By the way, the next time the fashion of the Republicans of the Illinois flock Brookhart in Steek.

Watson, who is not gone away from the World Court the same fix as would like to turn for Brookhart.

of averting the Democratic Senate second with the help some of the at the President.

son, however, is have been guilty age in voting. don't Court, as.

he did from the soldier fight. The next time he done for Mr. no job, his was from \$2,000,000.

much money to be strangled—McKinley's to the millions have comforted with no Mr. Coolidge is not ungrateful.

Aid for Spain By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON. Able veterans who recovered in the World stored to the rolls under a.

unanimously sent to the House (Rep.) of Pennsylvania. The resolution, veterans would.







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April 10, 1907.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The name and address of the author must accompany every contribution, but on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 200 words will receive preference.

## The Recall.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

ONE of our papers has at various times condemned as harmful and unjust to the interests of this city and its people the discharge of Mr. Wall, and now through the influence of a few remarks by one of the Mayor's staunch friends and supporters completely revolutionized its views and advises the taxpayers to wait "further and longer" in the place of a Jeffreys. It is an encouraging sign during very discouraging times.

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Why, of course, he is "boss." His reference to recall workers as "barking dogs" is indeed most appropriate and brings back the old adage, "Barking dogs never bite."

The "boss" may feel assured these dogs will not "bite" at his futile attempts to curb them, but they will go on with the good work until they have certified assurances in the shape of signatures of the majority of that same 150,000 deceived voters. Was it Brutus who said, "I'd rather be a dog and bay the moon than such a Roman?"

S. M. STERN.  
5238 Cabanne avenue.

"Another Old-Timer."  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
REPLYING to Mr. C. Clemon's inquiry as to the "Mississippi Valley Sanitary Fair" of 1864, it might interest him and others to learn that the undersigned was the youngest member of the Ladies' Executive Committee of that most worthy and successful undertaking on behalf of the sick and wounded soldiers of the Union army.

In that capacity I had the pleasure and privilege of meeting some of the most distinguished personages of that time, foremost amongst them General and Mrs. Grant. The former delighted, since he was an inveterate smoker, to win at a raffle in my booth a receptacle for cigars and tapers.

Conferences with Mr. James Yountman, president of the Fair; Messrs. Chauncey I. Piley, Henry T. Beyer, Cousins, and many others, were daily occurrences. Also I recall the unstinted generosity of our local merchants—above all, Mr. and Mrs. William Barr, personal friends, upon whom we were called in vain for financial aid. My official badge and silver star are among my most cherished possessions. The Fair was held on the site of the old Lucas market, on Twelfth near Olive.

MRS. MARY L. GEMPP.  
1127 Dolman street.

John Wesley a "Wet."  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
A QUIP on the editorial page of your paper this evening says: "Al Smith must share his distinction of being 'shamelessly wet' as the laymen of the M. E. Church put it, with Gen. Andrews."

You might have added that he shares the same distinction with John Wesley. The twenty-sixth verse found in the fourteenth chapter of Deuteronomy says: "And thou shalt bestow that money for whatsoever thy soul lusteth after, for oxen, or for sheep, or for wine, or for strong drink, or for whatsoever thy soul desireth; and thou shalt eat there before the Lord thy God, and thou shalt rejoice, thou, and thy household."

John Wesley, in commenting on the paragraph in which this verse is included—24 and 27 inclusive—wrote: "The Hebrew word 'sakers' is any kind of fermented liquor, whether made from corn or fruits. This—referring to the above passage—was forbidden to the Nazarenes. See Numbers VI-3; to priests when on duty, see Leviticus, X-9; and the excess of it, so as to produce intoxication, to all, but within the bounds of sobriety and moderation, it was allowed and sometimes prescribed; see Proverbs XXXI-6."

—L. Y. MAN.  
Coulterville, Ill.

## JURY TRIAL OR JEFFREYS?

The St. Louis Bar Association will meet tonight to consider House bill 6754, the so-called Dyer bill, designed to curb the arbitrary power of Federal Judges to pass both on the law and the facts in criminal cases.

It is to be regretted that a special committee charged with considering this bill has reported its disapproval, although one member, Wayne Ely, does not concur with the majority.

In these times, when civil liberty is everywhere under assault, when governmental power is expanding and becoming increasingly irresponsible, when constitutional guarantees afford only the most precarious protection against official oppression, it is difficult to believe that the great body of lawyers in St. Louis or anywhere else would oppose Mr. Dyer's salutary proposal as to Federal practice.

The right of a Judge to comment on the evidence, and thus influence a jury, is universally denied the Judges of our state courts, and only through withholding that power has trial by jury retained its meritorious vigor in our home tribunals.

In the Federal courts—which are now distant courts as the result of strained constructions as to jurisdiction—the jury system serves little of its original purpose. Federal Judges not only comment on the evidence, but they may direct a verdict of guilty in defiance of the judgment of the jury; and they have been known to threaten reluctant jurors with contempt.

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## WHY DOES COX SURRENDER?

Upon arriving in New York from Florida James M. Cox announced that he was through with politics for good. "I think," said he, "the man who is out of public life is a most fortunate person, for the reason that it is an era of intellectual dishonesty and hypocrisy." He pointed to the prohibition question and how it has corrupted the official life of the country. He cited the political fiddlers of the Senate playing for votes. And so on.

This is from the man who ran for President in 1920 against Harding. We do not think anyone who studied that campaign could fail to be impressed by Cox's gallant fight. The odds against him were overwhelming, and this became obvious toward the end of the campaign. Yet Cox, to the final goal, made a slashing, driving battle of it. His exposition of the chief issue of the campaign—the League of Nations—was clear, forceful and comprehensive. While Harding was making easy platitudes on the front porch at Marion, Cox was doing hectic one-night stands in the provinces, speaking two and three hours at a time, under exhausting physical conditions.

We are sorry Cox couples his criticism of these times with the announcement that he is through. His criticism is a valuable and a true one, and it needs expositors of his vigorous type. Has he been overcome by the dolce far niente of his Florida existence?

At present it is a toss-up as to which can deliver lower—the Browns or the franc.

## FACTS ABOUT FORESTRY.

This being Forest Week, a few more facts about the nation's tree demand and supply are in order. They are taken from "The Forestry Primer," published by the American Tree Association, Washington, D. C. "To mark the Semi-centennial of the First Step in Forestry by the United States Government and to help the Coming Generations of Americans Profit by the Lessons of the Past."

This country originally had 822,000,000 acres of forests, when the Indians roamed unmolested. We now have 135,000,000 of untouched forest, 250,000,000 of second growth, and about 1,000,000 acres of idle land suitable for nothing but growing trees.

We are using up our wealth of trees about four times as fast as they are being replanted, due to cutting for lumber, pulpwood, destruction by fires and insect pests.

In one year, mostly due to carelessness, fires sweep away an area of forests almost as large as New York State. In 1924 this loss was 23,000,000 acres of woodland.

It takes 16 acres of spruce trees to make the paper for a single average Sunday edition of a great metropolitan paper like the Post-Dispatch.

The country is experiencing a great building era, which means that lumber is being used more rapidly than in any previous year, in spite of the enormous use of concrete, brick and stone. Telegraph and telephone poles, while we use 500,000,000 fence posts every year. For railroad ties other millions of trees are cut annually. And, of the timber cut, about 33.1 per cent is utilized, while the other 66.9 per cent goes to waste.

All this means that the country must awaken to the importance of conservation and begin real conservation and replenishment at once, if we are not to suffer from a timber famine within the life of this generation.

## COSTLY MUNICIPAL SAVING.

Comptroller Nolte, at the request of Mayor Miller, reports a comparison of municipal expenses during the first year of Miller's administration with the last year in the previous administration. It shows a decrease of \$539,160 in favor of Mayor Miller's administration.

Most of the decrease in expenses is credited to the Department of Streets and Sewers and the Park Department. We acknowledge the decrease in expenses, but look at the streets and parks. We can't look at the sewers, but if they are in as bad condition as most of the thoroughfares they are ready to fall down. The report in the Globe-Democrat referring to the streets and sewers reads: "This cut is \$379,273, caused principally by the dismissal of several hundred employees, and decrease in the usual street operations of the department, repairs and street cleaning." Referring to a decrease in the park appropriation of \$93,940, the report says: "This is largely accounted for also by a labor cut, and in decrease in care of the parks."

The saving of money is manifest in the parks and the principal streets. Merely to mention some of the great thoroughfares—Washington avenue, Lindell, Plac, parts of Kingshighway—is sufficient. The effects are visible and sensible to everyone who uses the streets.

Money saved by neglecting upkeep is money lost. The ultimate cost of repairs or reconstruction will be many times the amount saved. Saving money by failing to do necessary work is the easiest job in the world. The only saving that counts is the saving accomplished by economy and efficiency in the doing of all necessary work.

## THE FRENCH DEBT.

Paris cables again carry disquieting information regarding the proposed settlement of the French debt to the United States. While it is admitted that the French Government has been very careful about letting out information, so as not to embarrass Ambassador Berenger in his unofficial conversations with our Government, it is intimated that the figure of \$25,000,000 a year annually for the first five years is somewhat lower than the actual payments to be made.

We want to know how much higher they are going to be. The cooing out of such figures is an index of how the French official mind works, as well as a measure of French psychology, when it comes to thinking in constantly changing figures and haggling over a debt they owe us.

Previously the Catiaux Commission offered us \$40,000,000 per annum for the first five years, \$50,000,000 for the next seven years and \$100,000,000 for the remaining 56 years. This offer was refused by the American Commission.

The offering of \$40,000,000 annually for the first five years is an admission that French national resources are capable of meeting this amount. However the French Government wanted to pay these lump sums so as to wipe out their debt of \$4,227,000,000 in 68 years by paying, in full, \$6,222,000,000. This sum represented less than one per cent interest payments, or, in other words, while they were paying us \$1,750,000,000 in interest, our own taxpayers, to meet the interest on Liberty bonds, to the amount of the French debt, would contribute \$4,100,000,000.

The French "capacity to pay" is far superior to that of Italy, as shown after a most exhaustive study of the economic conditions of both countries.

France attempts, by pathetic and dramatic gestures, to rehabilitate her steadily declining franc by appealing to the patriotism of her people to sustain the franc by personal contributions. Even poor children deny themselves simple toys to send in their sous.

True stability for the franc lies in France's early recognition that she must first secure international credit and esteem. This she will renew when she shows a real desire to settle her foreign debts.

## "WHEN CAN THEIR GLORY FADE?"

Mr. Robert Yeates, who died in Belfast Workhouse today, aged 103, was the last known survivor of the Charge of the Light Brigade—Cable to the London Express.

When can their glory fade?  
Oh, the wild charge they made!  
All the world wondered.  
Honor the charge they made,  
Honor the Light Brigade,  
Noble six hundred!

There is another picture which Robert Yeates may not have seen, a different picture from that in the familiar Tennyson poem. Truth painted it in macabre fashion, a scene of tragic debacle. There in was portrayed the hazy blue Crimea of 1854, when Lord Raglan's army came to fight the Russian. In that campaign good British men perished from cold and hunger, with supplies of food and clothing a few miles away behind barriers of red tape. In that campaign a light cavalry division was ordered to charge a strong-positioned Russian battery—"some-one had blundered." The Light Brigade obeyed orders and was cut to pieces, but what of that? It was a famous charge. England would reward her heroes—England did, with speeches and medals and parades—those of them who did not die of cholera.

As the last of the Light Brigade lay dying, we are told, in an Irish journalist's best manner, he had for comfort a "vividly colored picture of the famous charge." It is to be hoped that Robert Yeates still believed in the eternal brightness of uniforms and the poetry of war, and that his eyes dimmed with glorious memories.

## THE LITTLE PARADE.

(From the Brooklyn Eagle.)



THE DRIES COME TO BA.

## JUST A MINUTE

Written for the Post-Dispatch  
BY CLARK McADAMS

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## PANETELA.

No, Luella,  
Mr. Coolidge  
Isn't doing  
Very well;  
Looks as if  
So much play-acting  
Had at length  
Begun to tell.  
Anyways,  
The correspondents  
Hold him in  
Persistent jest,  
And his sun  
Appears to rush on  
The obliterative  
West.

What the trouble is,  
My dearie,  
Is not difficult  
To say:  
Like the Greeks  
And the Egyptians,  
Cat has sort  
Of had his day.  
Never one  
We would confuse with  
What the times  
Are quite about,  
Or in any  
Sense a leader,  
He is likely  
Fading out.

Anyhow,  
His hold on Congress  
Won't amount  
To very much  
After people  
Have commented  
On the tariff  
Law and such.  
Nor will there  
Be in the Senate  
Any such obliging  
Claques.  
After people  
Have said something  
As to Mr. Mellon's  
Tax.

Meanwhile,  
Though the winds  
Are shifting  
And the sky  
Looks black ahead,  
Mr. Coolidge  
Keeps on saying  
Only what  
He always said.  
What though stress  
And storm await him  
And the sea  
Begins to roar,  
Lo, we find  
Our hero doing  
Only what  
He did before!

Truth to tell  
My sweet Luella,  
Much though his  
Pulsant sway  
Has deceived us,  
That was always  
What he had  
To do or say.  
So that would  
We understand how  
What we hear  
Has come about.  
We may shrewdly  
Guess that nothing  
Has worn  
Everybody out.

## Meeting of the Greeks.

The "emporium" of Finkelstein appeared to be a scene of considerable confusion. In the center of the store stood one Mrs. Kohen and held aloft an article of merchandise. She appeared to be angry.

"Two days ago, yet I buy by you these shoes; and now give a look! allus to pieces. Baber! Baber! For shame, Finkelstein, for shame! God sol huten! you shed mine blood."

Finkelstein moved a tentative finger toward his hair. Then he recalled that most of the foliage of his ample cranium had long since departed in moments of like confusion. The gesture created a thought: "Koosh!" he roared. "Might they could be baber. Huh! Und vat kind of money you pay me? Huh! He waved a green bank note. 'Baber! Baber!'"

JEFF ROTORBAR.

Sir: In Saturday's issue XXX, in quoting some poetry, I did not take responsibility for rhyming "are" with "fair." For his benefit I will state that when I was a youngster (way back in the '60s-'70s), living in a Kansas town, most everybody pronounced "are" that way. It was only in later years that I noted people were pronouncing it to rhyme with "bar." Curiously enough, in my rhyming dictionary I find "are" is the only spelling in the list of "bar" rhymes, which has an e at the end of the word. Why this exception? It would tend to show that it once did rhyme with "bar." Now, since the pronunciation has changed, the e should be cut off from "are."

N. J. W.

Sir: The San Francisco papers have a habit of abbreviating as many words as possible. In an ad. Here is one I noticed:

Wanted—Girl to take care of baby eyes.

Evidently the baby Adams can take care of themselves. How's that? I'm not proud of being down here in this much-lauded State—and if the trains are still running a month from now I am going to "trek" back to St. Louis, a pretty good town after all. I thank you.

SOMEBOODY.

Petaluma, Cal.

Sir: Sign in front a church, Emerson avenue.

The Men's Bible Class Want's U.

It also wants one less apostrophe in that sign.

Banker Forgan tells the League of Women Voters (?) that the United States will never collect the war debts Europe owes us. He has dealt with the same people in the different foreign quarters of Chicago, and he knows.

Judge Gary told the steel corporation directors that it is almost time to say good-bye, but he was not indignant enough to suggest that it is also time to let-go.

The great volcano of Mauna Loa is doing its best, but it is unable to divert popular attention from that much greater volcano on which the prohibition inquiry at Washington is sitting.

The Globe-Democrat reminds us that Vic Miller has been Mayor for only a year. It seems impossible.

A New York woman says the maidenly blush is almost extinct. The men are doing the blushing now.

The MIRROR  
PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reveal without bias the latest current of leading publicists, newspaper and publicists on the questions of the day.

## POSSESSION'S NINE POINTS

From the Ann Arbor Times-News.

THE Supreme Court decision relating to the Michigan-Wisconsin border back to some of the fundamental principles of the principle that possession is nine points of the law.

Which a verdict in favor of Wisconsin rendered. On the whole, Michigan find little difficulty in reconciling the verdict. Fortunately, no oil or great power assets were involved in dispute, so that big business is not tested one way or another. It is a knowledge that the boundary has been established and that the long war is at an end. Wisconsin isn't a bad neighbor, and can be trusted to maintain additional obligation, if any, resulting from the official inclusion of the disputed territory in Wisconsin jurisdiction.

It was somewhat of a tempest in a teapot, the outcome of which can have no effect on the great problems of families, the prohibition issue, Durand, or the destiny of man's immortal soul.

Michigan is still angry at her neighbor in the matter of years. Having consistently demonstrated superiority on the diamond, gridiron, and basketball floor, she easily can afford with good grace this defeat in court.

It is almost a relief to learn that Wisconsin actually can win at some times.

His wife, Lady Bancroft, died in 1921. She first appeared on the stage under her maiden name of Marie Effie Wilton as early as 1847.

Squire Bancroft was one of the most prolific of actors. Between 1861 and 1865, playing in the provinces, he appeared in no fewer than 345 parts, and after going to London, he appeared in not less than one new play a year.

Although he retired from management at the early age of 44, he later associated himself with Henry Irving and John Hare, both of whom were knighted, and he himself had knighted conferred on him by Queen Victoria for notable services to his profession. He devoted much time to readings, and the rendition of Dickens' "Christmas Carol" for the benefit of hospital and throughout the country, and in this way he raised nearly \$100,000 for these institutions. He was elected president of the Actors' Association in 1905, in succession to Sir Henry Irving.

AMERICAN PAPERS IN CANADA

From the Quebec Evening News.

TO enter the United States, the publications must pay exorbitant rates. Should we not at least have our own publications reciprocally and as far as possible their entry into Canada? Millions of copies of this foreign paper are sold in our markets every week. It is as a formidable agent of American propaganda from a material point of view it is proposed to the national interest. It is believed that life is easier and more comfortable in the United States, that everything is better, that the cost of living is cheaper, that the American magazines the superior, that the American life is better, that the American is a more moral point of view, it is no bad thing to check the propaganda of American papers into our midst.

FOETATION IN FRANCE

From the New York Tribune.

DURING the war American newspapers were taken to France to cut the bridge and other war-time communications began operations by slashing the young trees, but were speedily stopped by the French authorities, who insisted on cutting nothing except marketable trees were selected in a way that would young growth a chance. They are trees growing rank on rank, but the of the farsightedness of an earlier generation that knew the real meaning of conservation, and they must have had some conscience when they recalled the in vogue at home.

RELIGION IN SCHOOLS  
AS CURB ON JAZZ AGE

Dr. Aurelia Reinhardt, College Head, Addresses Board of Religious Organizations.

A plea for religious instruction in the schools was made yesterday by Dr. Aurelia Reinhardt, president of Mills College for Women before more than 1100 St. Louis women and guests attending the eighth annual luncheon of the Board of Religious Organizations at Hotel Chase.

"There is a lack of religious education in the schools," Dr. Reinhardt said. "We do not recognize the potentiality of the child to learn godliness. We ignore the mandate of the master, who said, 'Let them come unto me for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven.'"

"It is principally because of petty interdenominational jealousies that proper religious instruction is kept out of the schools."

"Every young person is naturally of a religious bent, and yearns to do good. It is a part of education to teach them what is good. One reason for the present religiouslessness is that the young people have not that peace which comes with the knowledge of good."

"We let them learn to dance and drive autos before they know their Christian ethics. We let them walk in unbecoming garments. We teach them to break the ten commandments before they know what the ten commandments are."

Dr. Reinhardt and Mrs. James T. Morrison, of Chicago, who was the other speaker at yesterday's luncheon, are attending the convention of the National League of Women Voters here this week. Mrs. Morrison has been elected first vice-president of the League.

"Some people think that to be a good American means only to have nothing to do with foreigners," said Mrs. Morrison, whose topic was, "What Is An American?"

"Some think that if you believe in property you are a 'hundred percent' that if you believe in the amendment guaranteeing free speech you are a dangerous radical, and that whether or not you believe in the Eighteenth Amendment is entirely a matter of taste. I believe, with Woodrow Wilson, that a good American considers the United States a democracy shot through with the needs and hopes of humble men."

Mrs. Joseph F. Calfee, retiring president, praised the work of Miss Lillian Trussell, executive secretary of the board since it was founded, and announced officers for the coming year, as follows: President, Mrs. Gilbert H. Fox; first vice president, Mrs. Robert L. Lund; second vice president, Mrs. Virgil Rule; third vice president, Mrs. Henry L. Wolfner; fourth vice president, Mrs. E. A. Kieselhorst; chairman of finance, Mrs. G. S. Newhard; directors, Mrs. Joseph S. Calfee, Clay E. Jordan, Louis J. Brooks, F. L. Scott, H. L. Finch and F. B. Chamberlain.

## SIR SQUIRE BANCROFT, DEAN OF ENGLISH STAGE, IS DEAD

Noted Actor-Manager at One Time Played With Irving; Knighted By Queen Victoria.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, April 18.—Sir Squire Bancroft, dean of the English stage, is dead after a short illness.

Squire Bancroft was born in luxury in 1841, but his father's early death greatly changed his circumstances, and he first appeared on the stage at the Theater Royal, Birmingham, in 1861, at a salary of £100 a week.

He retired from a career of successful management in 1885, having realized a fortune in his own theater, the Haymarket, the lease of which he purchased in 1879.

His wife, Lady Bancroft, died in 1921. She first appeared on the stage under her maiden name of Marie Effie Wilton as early as 1847.

Squire Bancroft was one of the most prolific of actors. Between 1861 and 1865, playing in the provinces, he appeared in no fewer than 345 parts, and after going to London, he appeared in not less than one new play a year.

Although he retired from management at the early age of 44, he later associated himself with Henry Irving and John Hare, both of whom were knighted, and he himself had knighted conferred on him by Queen Victoria for notable services to his profession. He devoted much time to readings, and the rendition of Dickens' "Christmas Carol" for the benefit of hospital and throughout the country, and in this way he raised nearly \$100,000 for these institutions. He was elected president of the Actors' Association in 1905, in succession to Sir Henry Irving.

Missouri Road Conditions.

ST. JOSEPH—Clear; roads good.

JEFFERSON CITY—Clear; roads good.

COLEBURNIA—Clear; roads good.

SEDALIA—Partly cloudy; roads good.

HANNIBAL—Clear; roads good.

KANSAS CITY—Clear; roads good.

SPRINGFIELD—Clear; roads good.

CAPE GIRARDEAU—Clear; roads good.







## ARMY CHAPLAIN FREED OF WOMAN'S CHARGE

Capt. Clamplitt to Go Back to  
Wife, Kansas City Accuser  
Turns to Movies.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 20.—Capt. Orville W. Clamplitt, Baptist army chaplain, has been found not guilty by a courtmartial of charges of improper conduct with Miss Lucille Swallow, Kansas City beauty parlor attendant.

Immediately thereafter the young chaplain announced he had under consideration a motion picture contract with a Portland (Ore.) company in which he would be starred with his jumping horse, Red Head.

Miss Swallow, leaving San Francisco several weeks ago after losing here, announced that she intended to seek a job in the movies.

Clamplitt immediately after his acquittal announced his first request would be for transfer to Vancouver Barracks, Wash., where he said his wife and four children were waiting him. The chaplain declared Mrs. Clamplitt had stood loyally beside him and had written to him daily.

Capt. Clamplitt was accused of having lived with Miss Lucille Swallow, 22, in Leavenworth, Kan., while he was chaplain there in 1925, and having taken her into Missouri.

The girl testified she met the chaplain while she was waiting on table in the Soldiers' Home to make money to open her own beauty parlor and the romance lasted three months, until Capt. Clamplitt was transferred to Vancouver Barracks, Wash. She said she knew he was married. She testified that she still regarded Capt. Clamplitt as a "prince of a fellow," but said she had never loved him and did not know what love was.

Capt. Clamplitt on the stand yesterday denied the girl's charges. He said he was calling on a friend named Fritz, in a Fort Leavenworth, Kan., lodging house when Miss Swallow entered the room and attempted to become friendly. Clamplitt told of receiving from Miss Swallow a letter demanding \$50 and later another asking for \$250 under a threat of causing trouble.

"I consulted an attorney," the witness said, "and he told me he believed the girl was writing these threatening letters under the direction of some one else."

## SHIP MODELS ARE LATEST

### FAD OF ANTIQUARIANS

Replicas of Ancient Sailing Vessels Have Brought as High as \$27,000.

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, April 20.—The ship model is the current fad in antiquities.

Thousands of land lubbers whose maritime experience has not enabled them to tell a topsail from a fo'c'st'le are hot on the trail of authentic models of vessels which sailed the Spanish main, and the demand has become so great for information about ship models that the Chicago Art Institute is displaying a number of exhibits.

The favor in which replicas of sailing vessels have suddenly found themselves is merely one phase of the appetite for antique-collecting, institute officials said.

A price of \$27,000 is reported to have been paid for one such replica, while a Chicago dealer asked \$25,000 apiece for a pair of models in his possession.

The ship model originated several centuries ago when sailors sailed, and put them in churches or civic halls upon their successful return from a voyage, as thank offerings or memorials.

Although models were not unknown as mantel decorations in earlier centuries, they were not popularized as such until interior decorators began, a decade ago, to put them in large living rooms of wealthy customers.

Since then the fad has become so widespread that many a one-room apartment has its ship model tucked up on a ledge between the inador bed and the disappearing kitchenette.

## MAN OF 8,000,000 FRIENDS DIES

Patriarch of Piccadilly, London.

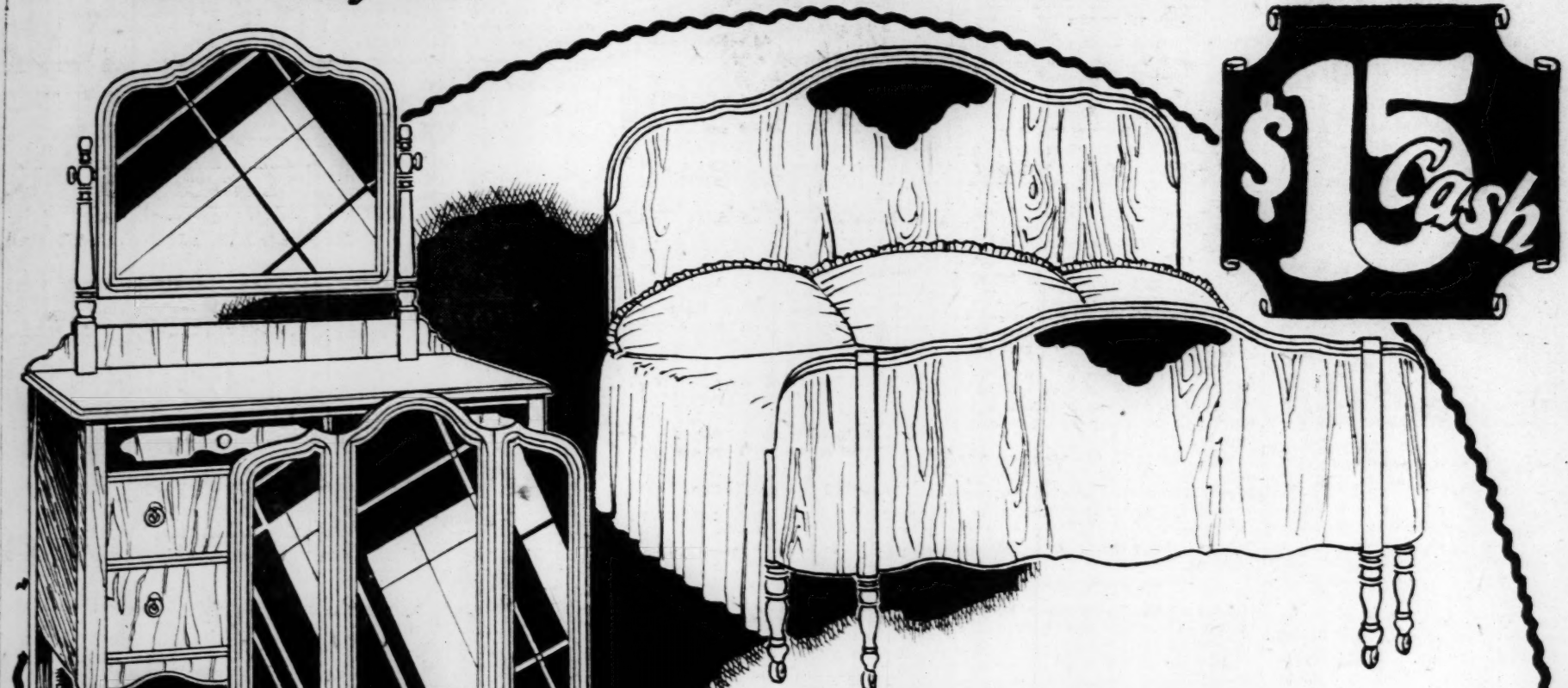
Has Sold His Last Pamphlet.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, April 4.—Thousands of Londoners learned with regret of the death of W. A. MacDonald, the patriarch with long white hair and beard, who for years stood nightly outside the Pavilion, Piccadilly, selling pamphlets. By birth a Scotch-Canadian, he was author, scholar, film actor, inventor, professor and teacher of many subjects. "He had been a student in the universities in Canada, France and Germany, an artist's model and a tramp. Forty years ago he was on the staff of the Toronto Globe.

For a time he was chief accountant for one of the largest manufacturing firms in Canada. Going to London, he set up as a food manufacturer, but his unconventional spirit was not suited to business, and eventually he found himself in the role he liked best—that of student and philosopher. He was perfectly happy in a little room in Leicester square, writing and studying during the day, while on fine evenings he was to be found at his Piccadilly "pitch." He claimed to be known by 8,000,000 people.

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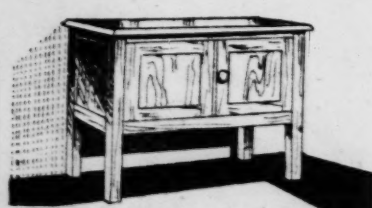
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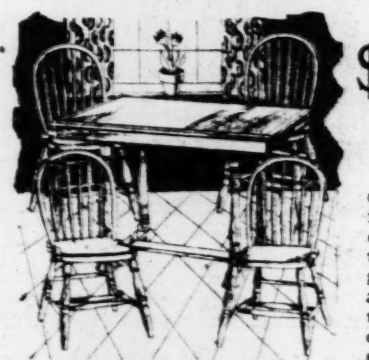


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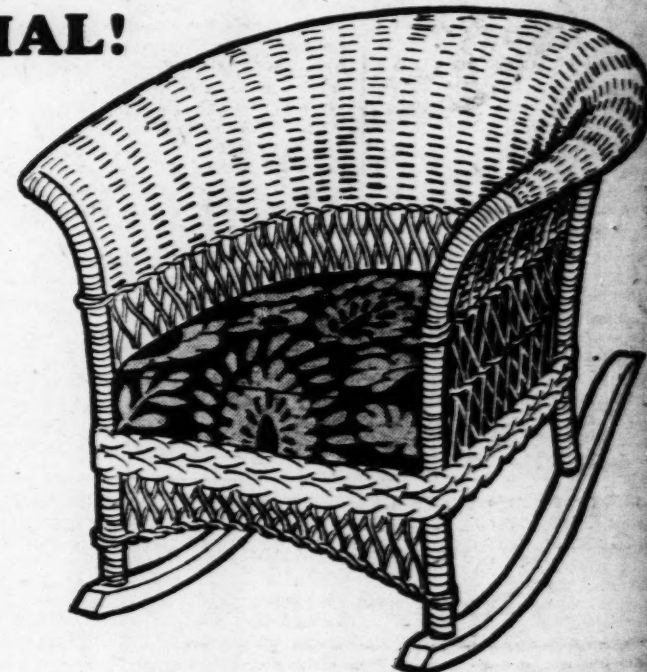
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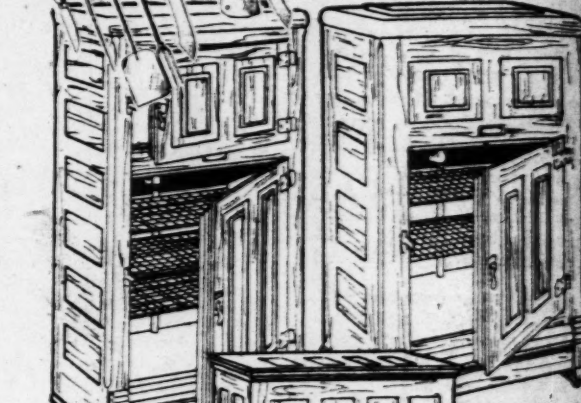
\$7.75 couldn't begin to pay for such a chair or rocker as these if bought in the regular way. We bought them for a song and are passing the savings on to you as a special birthday offering. These chairs are finished in the new Cafe au lait and are made with loose automobile spring cushions covered with colorful cretonne. The sensation of the Birthday Sales!



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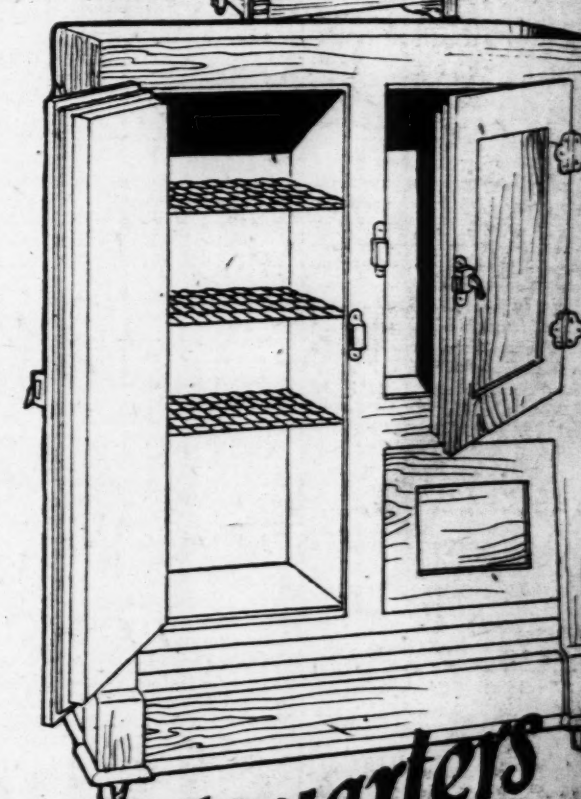
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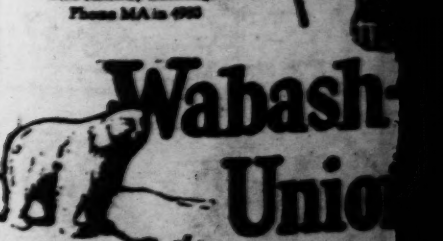
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## TRIAL OF ENGLISH AT EXTRA SESSION HELD TO BE LEGAL

Senate Has Authority to Act  
After Adjournment, Sub-  
committee of Judiciary  
Body Finds.

CASE MAY GO OVER  
TILL FALL ANYWAY

House Charges Will Be Pre-  
sented Thursday, Then  
Judge Will Be Summoned  
and Date Set.

By PAUL V. ANDERSON,  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-  
Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—The Senate has the authority to sit as a court of impeachment to try Federal Judge George W. English of East St. Louis after the adjournment of Congress, in the opinion of a subcommittee of the Senate Judiciary Committee, which had been appointed to study the question, and which reported yesterday. The full committee and the Senate undoubtedly will be guided by report. However, whether the Senate will proceed with the trial immediately after adjournment, or will convene for that purpose in the fall, prior to the opening of the session, has not yet been decided.

Many Senators are eager to get home to open their campaigns for re-election. Others believe that the trial should be held as soon as possible, particularly in view of the fact that Judge English is continuing to hold court.

The articles of impeachment adopted by the House will be formally presented at the bar of the Senate at 2 p. m. Thursday by the Board of Managers who will conduct the prosecution. They will be read to the Senate. At 1 o'clock of the following day the Senate will resolve itself into a court of impeachment and fix a date when Judge English shall appear at the bar of the Senate and enter his plea. He expected to plead not guilty. The Senate will then allow his counsel a period to present a brief, to which the managers will reply. After that the date of the trial will be set.

Bruce Campbell of East St. Louis, chief counsel for Judge English, was here yesterday and conferred with Representative Michener, chairman of the managers, on the procedure to be followed. He desired that his client might be spared unnecessary trips to Washington, and thought the formalities might be consolidated and shortened. Michener was of the opinion, however, that because of the gravity and exceptional formality of the case, it would be necessary to adhere severely to precedent.

Campbell also conferred while here with Representative William Bowling of Alabama, who led the unsuccessful fight in the House against impeachment. Responding to a question today, however, Bowling said he did not intend to become associated with the defense in the trial. No invitation of that nature had been extended, he said, and he would not accept it if it were. He explained that it would be of doubtful propriety for a member of the House, the prosecuting body, to assist in the defense.

## 3577 MURDERS IN 1925; CHICAGO LEADS WITH 562

National Rate, 11.1 in a Year Unprecedented for Lawlessness, Insurance Companies Report.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
CHICAGO, April 20.—A new murder record was hung up in 1925, a year unprecedented in nation-wide lawlessness, which has cost life insurance companies heavily, a report by the companies show.

There were 3577 murders in 121 cities, with an aggregate population of 32,862,703. Chicago led with 562, New York with 374 second, a rate of 13.8 murders per 100,000 of population in Chicago, whereas the national rate is 11.1. In Jacksonville, Fla., the rate was 72.3, with 69 murders in a town of 95,450. Memphis had 59 per 100,000; Birmingham, Ala., 54.5, and Tampa, Fla., 45.4.

## BOY ASKS POLICE TO RAID WHERE MOTHER GETS LIQUOR

"Little Joe's" Pencil Scrawl Leads to Seizures and Arrest of Man in Charge.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, April 20.—A penciled note on a leaf from a school copybook brought about the raid. It was addressed to "Mr. Michael Lyons, Police Headquarters." "Please raid the candy store at 425 West Fortieth street," it read. "My mother goes there and gets drunk. My father is almost crazy."

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Q—Don't other manufacturers treat their cords?

A—Some do, but not in latex.

Q—How do those who do not treat in latex, surround their cords with rubber?

A—1. By a process called frictioning. The cords are passed between heated rollers and the rubber is squeezed down into and around the cords. 2. By treating cords in a chemical solution of rubber.

Q—What is the object of treating cords with latex?

A—All tire cords must be impregnated with rubber. Using latex impregnates the cords with rubber, without using chemicals.

Q—Why don't other manufacturers use the Latex Process?

A—The Latex Process was developed, patented and is owned by the United States Rubber Company.

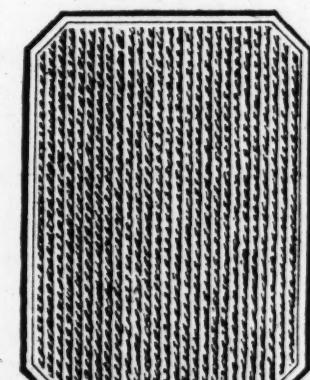
Q—What are the advantages of Latex-treated Web Cord?

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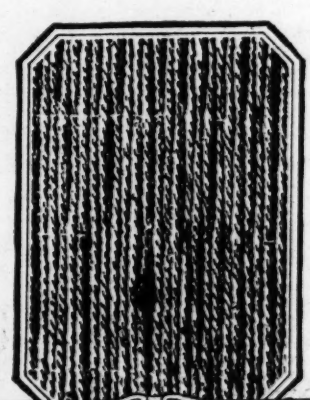
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## MORE ASKED FOR ERADICATION

Senate Seeks House Agreement to \$6,000,000 Appropriation.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—The Senate returned to conference at 4 p. m. today for the purpose of

The Agriculture Department's annual appropriation bill in which it is proposed to increase to \$6,000,000 the amount provided for the eradication of tubercular cattle. The House

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HOPE FOR VOTE ON  
EXPANSION PLAN  
OF CITY MEAGER

County Members of Board of Freeholders Virtually Agreed to Stand for Their Proposal.

Hope that one of the nine St. Louis County members of the Board of Freeholders would sign the proposal of the nine St. Louis members for merger of city and county as one municipality, so that it could be submitted to the voters, appears to have gone glimmering.

Fred Esson, a county freeholder and Republican boss of the county, told a Post-Dispatch reporter at a meeting of the board at Clayton courthouse last night that the county members virtually had agreed to stand together in support of the proposal of Joseph C. McAtee (county) for return of the city to county court government.

Thompson's Plan Heard. Last night's board meeting was called to hear a discussion of the plan of Frank A. Thompson (county) to return of the city into the county and creation of a metropolitan commission with broad governmental powers in the city, suburbs and rural area. It hasn't a chance of submission in view of the city delegation's attitude.

Thompson began by stating that fairness of his provision for election of one member of the commission by the city, one by incorporated towns now in the county and one by the rest of the county was his plan met all objections to the present form of Government, and would permit St. Louis to make annexation under existing law not now applicable. American authorities approve principles of his scheme, he asserted, and under it there would be proper, scientific planning of sewers, subdivisions and other matters in the county.

Henry S. Caulfield (city) attacked Thompson's plan as a borough system, with an un-American disparity of representation on the commission. He expressed doubt if the plan came under the board's constitutional powers. The commission, with a minority of county voters dominating it, would levy and apportion taxes, he declared, but said a combine in the city's favor might be worked out. He denounced the provision allowing the commission wide legislative authority as giving away the city's police power, and the clause giving the Judge appointed by the commission, subject to appeals to the Circuit Court of the county, jurisdiction in all cases arising under commission ordinances. The plan would bankrupt St. Louis, he added, by depriving it of a 25-cent tax rate now levied as a quasi-county.

Question of Jobs Raised. In the course of debate, Hugh K. Wagner (city), who has been an outstanding annexationist for years, asked Freeholder Roessel what he earned as City Attorney of Webster Groves. Roessel said his pay there was \$1800 a year. Wagner then declared he had heard Freeholder Lashley received \$6000 a year as counsel for the Webster Groves sewer district. Freeholder Gardner is attorney for Sheriff Wilmas and Freeholder Clarence L. Shotwell (county) is attorney for Collector Rudder, he added. These attorneyships would be wiped out under the city scheme.

Wagner was asked by Thompson what he had received "in 25 years with the Million Population Club." "Never a cent," Wagner replied.

Freeholder McAtee related that he wrote Director of Public Safety Brod, Director of Streets and Sewers Brooks and President Orrick of the Police Board last Wednesday, to learn from the city what could be done to extend fire and police protection and street and sewer service under a merger. Brooks and Brod have not replied, he stated, and Orrick referred him to Chief of Police Gerk. McAtee pleaded for retention of local self-government.

Piles of Roessel. Roessel urged the board to forget all that it has done so far and to make an earnest effort to work out a plan acceptable to both sides, but no one took up his idea, and he cherishes no hope for it. He suggested that city and county delegations each submit statements of fundamental principles desired. Saying he had not learned what the St. Louisans really wanted, he declared himself for local self-government and protection of farmers from city taxation, and against creation of a super-city.

Shotwell objected to the city scheme because Aldermen would be elected at large, but John P. Collins (city) said that was mandatory until the Constitution is changed.

Thompson closed the debate with an attack on the city scheme because it would subject bonds and other personal wealth of county residents to taxation at the city rate. The only vote taken was on adjournment, after three hours of talk.

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California to Revive Old Dry Law.  
By the Associated Press.  
SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 20.—The old law declaring illicit distilling a felony, carrying a maximum fine of \$5000 or two years in jail, or both, used in the mountainous regions of the South and East against moonshiners, has been put into effect by the Federal Government against distillers in the 21 counties comprising the Northern district of California.

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## MAYOR'S SAVING CLAIMS ARE GIVEN JOLT BY BROOKS

Director of Streets and Sewers Says Cut Last Year Makes More Repairs Necessary Now.

ASKS FOR \$531,000 INCREASE THIS YEAR

Ways and Means Committee of Aldermen Takes Up Question of Paring the Next City Budget.

Paring of the city budget, and possible elimination of the Municipal lodging house, the Psychiatric Clinic and other welfare activities, is under discussion by the Ways and Means Committee of the Board of Aldermen.

Within a few hours after Mayor Miller gave out a statement showing the big "saving" made in expenditures on the streets in the first year of his administration as compared with the previous fiscal year, the Mayor's director of streets and sewers was telling the Aldermen, yesterday afternoon, that there must not be any more of that kind of "saving."

Director Brooks presented his estimate of \$2,902,000 for street maintenance for 1926-27 as a rock-bottom figure, not subject to reduction by the budget makers. It is \$531,000 more than the amount granted for that purpose in the past year.

Arguments of Brooks. "If you go to cutting that estimate," Brooks insisted, "you'll only be piling up trouble and cost, for the repairs that will be necessary in future. Because of the cut last year, more repairs are necessary now. It is false economy to cut street maintenance funds, for it means one-third more to pay later."

Deputy Comptroller Gunn, who was in conference with the Aldermen, said he did not see where the street maintenance fund was going to get more than it had last year. He said the Police Department, which has mandatory power as to city funds, was demanding \$500,000 more than it had last year.

Then Alderman Wimer began to talk about eliminating some of the welfare activities. He mentioned the lodging house and the Psychiatric Clinic first.

"We tried to cut them out last year," Wimer said, "but the women got on our backs, and some of us got cold feet. I'm willing to propose it again. The streets need the money most."

Other Cuts Suggested. Wimer also suggested a cut in the appropriation for the Board of Children's Guardians. Alderman Randall agreed with Wimer that the streets were of primary importance, and Alderman Warts talked of cutting the expenditures for the City Plan Commission and the Efficiency Board.

There was discussion of the item of \$47,000 for traffic signals and street signs. Director Brooks insisted on this also, saying that the traffic signs were necessary, and that there were many complaints of unmarked streets.

Alderman Kuhs, chairman of the committee, said he did not believe it would be necessary to eliminate essential activities in any department. The discussion went over until this afternoon's conference.

## 19 ROADS OPPOSE MOVE TO ABOLISH U. S. RAIL BOARD

Delegation Tells Coolidge That Pending Legislation Is Not a Peace Plan.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, April 20.—The position of railroads opposed to the present form of the Watson-Park bill, which would abolish the United States Railroad Labor Board and set up another method of adjusting labor disputes, has been placed before President Coolidge by F. H. Alfred, president of the Pure Marquette; J. E. Gorman, president of the Rock Island; and C. N. Whitehead, president-elect of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas. The railroad executives called the President's attention to the action of 19 railroads which have voted, within the Association of Railway Executives, against the measure. The 19 roads, they said, comprise 30 per cent of those voting on the question.

The delegation said, "The bill, in the opinion of the railroads opposing its passage, is not the 'peace plan' it has been represented to be, nor does it meet the recommendation of President Coolidge in his messages to Congress with respect to protection of public interest.

ever-improving relations with our employees in terms of each road as the unit of service and self-interest.

"The pending bill requires in the public interest amendment in two vital particulars:

"First. It does not clearly and definitely place upon the parties an obligation to assure uninterrupted train service until an unjust dispute is investigated by public representatives appointed by the President.

"Second. It strips the public of that representation and control

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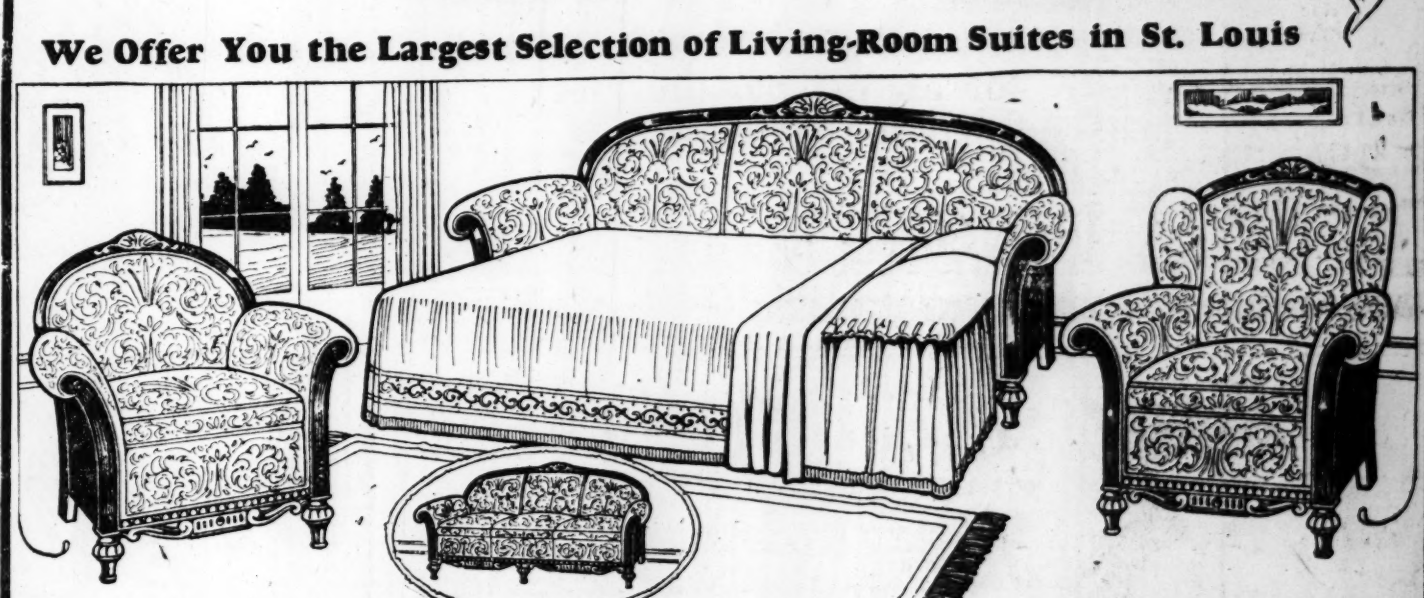
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Post-Dispatch Bureau.

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well as the Department of Justice. "I think they should be trained in the fundamentals of the law so they can properly swear out warrants," she explained. "That is one reason we have many inadequate search warrants. Through over-anxiety, some agents are like untrained bird dogs that bark instead of set."

Direct Answers Avoided.  
"If you had supervision of Federal agents who gather evidence, couldn't you get better results?" Reed asked, with a smile.

"I couldn't answer that," she replied, equally graciously. "You're trying to make me say that I'm a bigger man than anyone you could put in charge." When she said "make me a bigger man," the audience laughed.

"I mean with any competent person of the Department of Justice in charge—and I know you are competent—wouldn't enforcement be better?" Reed continued.

"I couldn't answer that without stating the fact that the Treasury Department and the way expenditures are made," was the wily answer.

"What is your opinion of how the law can be enforced?" Reed asked. "Quit talking and make results speak for themselves, and prosecute cases with all vigor."

The two witnesses who preceded Mrs. Willebrandt were Fred B. Smith of New York, chairman of the Citizens' Committee of 1000 for Law, Abolition and Enforcement, and Col. Jenkins of the Salvation Army, who spoke for Commander Booth.

Starkloff's Statistics.  
It was in connection with Col. Jenkins' testimony that Reed produced the computation of Health Commissioner Starkloff of St. Louis regarding the increase in the number of venereal disease cases and cases of alcoholism treated in St. Louis.

Reed stated that prior to 1918 there had been several private institutions for the treatment of venereal diseases, but that in that year public clinics had been established. He asked Jenkins if the following statistics of cases treated did not show an alarming increase in venereal diseases.

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1922-23	52,955
1923-24	97,667
1924-25	109,264
1925-April, 1926	124,720

Col. Jenkins admitted that the figures were not reassuring, but stated that the clinic was a new development and that this fact should be considered in any conclusions. Reed, in turn, admitted Jenkins' observation, but still insisted that the increase revealed there had been no improvement in moral conditions.

Alcoholism in St. Louis.  
Reed then read the following figures relating to cases of alcoholism treated in the St. Louis hospitals:

Complications	1914-15	1,692
	1915-16	1,672
	1916-17	1,656
	1917-18	1,179
	1918-19	1,424
	1919-20	1,653
	1920-21	1,855
	1921-22	3,198
	1922-23	3,363
	1923-24	2,204
	1924-25	1,918
	1925-April, 1926	1,599

These figures, said Reed, showed that the cases for the six years prior to prohibition amounted to 18,181, whereas the total for the six years under prohibition was 14,254. "They are not very reassuring, are they?" he asked. "No, sir, they are not."

"What would you say if I showed you statistics like that for 49 or 50 or other large cities?" Reed inquired. "If the whole country were like that it would be alarming."

"St. Louis might be an exceptional case,"

"I assure you it is not," Reed replied.

In the middle of one of Reed's long questions, Senator Harrell interrupted with the observation that the cross-examinations were taking more time than the actual testimony. He said that he would entertain a motion that each side be allowed 24 hours for perjury testimony and that the time for cross-examination should not count.

"Will you stay All Summer?" "I am agreeable to that," he answered, bitterly. "You and your dry associates voted to limit these hearings over my objections. I'm willing to stay here all summer and get the facts."

"That's a question for the committee to vote on," Harrell said. "Yes, and I know how they'll vote," Reed sneered.

Shortly afterward, when Jenkins had been excused, Reed still ranked by the Harrell interruption, leaned over and said, "My God, you'd try the patience of any man."

Smith of the Citizens' Committee of One Thousand did not have an easy time with Reed, particularly after Reed learned that he had been part of his compensation from the World Alliance for International Friendship, an organization advocating the World Court.

Smith read a prepared statement against the weakening or repeal of the Volstead law. Reed arrived in the committee room just as he was finishing the last page. The gist of Smith's statement was that his organization wanted stricter enforcement of the present law and did not seek any amendments.

Under cross-examination, Smith several times showed resentment at being compelled to answer questions he thought he had answered in the statement. Reed informed him that his dry colleagues had failed to show him the courtesy of waiting for him. Smith replied that he didn't like to repeat himself for one member of the committee.

"You will find that I am a very

## RULING BY MASTER ON U. R. CLAIMS

Former Presidents to Be Paid Only for Services of Benefit to Receiver.

Services of benefit to the receiver of the United Railways Co. are the only services for which Richard McCulloch and A. L. Shapleigh, successive presidents of the company in the receivership period, and Henry S. Priest, counsel for the company, can be paid. Special Master Fred L. Williams has indicated in his report to Federal Judge Faria.

Because it was not made clear what services of benefit to the receiver were performed by McCulloch, Shapleigh and Priest, Williams has recommended that their claims be not allowed. McCulloch had asked \$24,457.50 as salary for 31 months, at the rate of \$7500 a year, and Shapleigh had asked for \$20,937.50 salary. Priest's claim was for \$99,750.

Williams found that the three had no right to retain services of benefit to the receiver, and some of benefit only to the corporation, but he found no testimony or evidence to enable him to determine what the different services were.

None of the claims was opposed by either the Receiver of the Reorganization Committee. Charles W. Bates, attorney for the receiver, said he frequently was asked for salaries requiring consent or action by the corporation. However, it was made clear that the railway directors exceeded their authority in naming salaries for officers and counsel while the property was in charge of the receiver, and hence the claims were presented for whatever value the Master might fix, the salaries being cited as a measure of that value.

400 RECRUITS SOUGHT HERE  
FOR NATIONAL GUARD CAMP  
Effort to Double Strength of Local Battalion Next August.

A campaign to recruit 400 men to be taken to the annual encampment at Nevada, Mo., August 4 to 19, was begun today by the 158th Infantry, National Guard of Missouri. A recruiting office was opened at 709 Pine street.

Men between 18 and 45 years of age who can pass the physical test are eligible. The two battalions of the regiment at St. Louis are called 425 men. It is planned to increase their strength to 823 by the time the encampment is opened.

TUAN CHI JULI LEAVES PEKIN  
Deposed President of China's Flight Puts End to Regime.

By the Associated Press.  
PEKIN, April 20.—Tuan Chi Juli, latest deposed President of China, departed for Tientsin early today, apparently discouraged by confusion from the city by pressure of the Fengtien authorities of Gen. Tang Chi Tao, who with his troops, called the Ninth Division, were the deposed President's last reliance.

The executive's flight evidently put an end to his regime since the Cabinet of his appointing shows no inclination to function. The en bloc resignation of the Cabinet last evening resulted in the announcement that he had most for the prevention of blindness. Christian Peterson, Boston sculptor, designed the medal. The Leslie Dana medal is the gift of Leslie Dana of Brentmoor Park, who has turned over to the Missouri Association for the Blind a sum of money, the income of which will be used to purchase the medal.

important member," Reed warned. Smith read a prepared statement why his organization didn't face the issue and make all liquor drinking illegal. Smith's comment was that Reed had made a good speech.

"It was not a speech, and was not an occasion for irony between you and me. You'd better not start that or you'll get the worst of it," Reed threatened.

Smith testified that he could not say whether the officers of his organization drank, but that if it could be proved they owned a drop of illegal liquor their names would come off the letterhead in 24 hours. He admitted that some of them might have private wine cellars. Reed grinned from ear to ear. "Some of them I know," he observed.

## MUSIC DEMONSTRATION OF SCHOOL WORK FRIDAY

Program to Be Part of Annual Festival of Missouri Federation of Music Clubs.  
A special demonstration of the mode and manner of teaching music in the St. Louis public schools will be given at the Mullanphy School, Shaw and Towse Grove avenues, Friday at 1:30 p. m. under direction of Eugene Hahnel, supervisor of music of the St. Louis public schools. The demonstration will be in connection with the annual musical festival and convention of the Missouri Federation of Music Clubs, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Coronado Hotel.

The Federation of Music Clubs has a special department for school music, of which Mrs. Albert White of Kansas City is acting chairman. She will speak at the demonstration, Friday. Hahnel will discuss various phases of public school music.

The musical program for the demonstration will include selections by the Kindergarten Band, directed by Miss Ada Grier; primary singing, directed by Miss Florence Burton; blackboard observation work, directed by Miss Lulu Hawk; singing by eighth grade class, directed by Miss Mathilde Fensener and Miss Flavia Ernst, and selections by the orchestra, directed by Hahnel.

ATTACK ON NARCOTIC ACT FAILS  
U. S. Supreme Court Rejects Plea by Vance J. Higgs.

The attack made by Vance J. Higgs, St. Louis attorney, on the constitutionality of the Harrison antinarcotic act failed yesterday when the United States Supreme Court declined to review a sentence of four years imposed here upon Clement Gunn, a client of Higgs, for violation of the law.

Higgs contended that since Gunn was neither a druggist nor a physician, and hence not able to obtain license to handle narcotics or paying a narcotic tax, he could not be properly charged with unauthorized possession of drugs. He contended that the act was simply a revenue measure, not a criminal statute.

ARGUED WITH WIFE: FINED \$5  
Motorist's Excuse for Passing Stop Sign Didn't Excuse Him.

"I was arguing with my wife; I didn't see the stop sign," said J. E. Parsons of 5011A Page boulevard, pleading guilty before Police Judge Rosecan to a charge of passing an automatic stop signal, April 14.

"Who won the argument?" asked the Judge. "My wife," was the reply. Judge Rosecan imposed a fine of \$5 and costs.

## TWO MEN CONVICTED OF SALOON BURGLARY CHARGE

George Hedges, Alleged Leader in the Robbery Gets Five-Year Term, Lee Chaney, Two, He Believed.  
George Hedges, 32 years old, 5019 Easton avenue, and Lee Chaney, 24, of 4114 North Second street, were convicted of second degree burglary and larceny in Circuit Judge Mix's court by a jury yesterday and sentenced to two and five years, respectively, in the State Penitentiary.

Although it is unusual for two defendants charged with the same offense not to ask for a severance, they were tried together on a charge of robbing the saloon of Harry Palonia, 4100 North Second street, on Feb. 28, taking \$38 and tobacco valued at \$30. Testimony yesterday indicated that Chaney was the instigator and leader of the crime.

CRASHES CROSSING GATE  
BUT BEATS TRAIN ACROSS  
P. J. Simpson, 61, Narrowly Escapes Death; to Be Arrested for Careless Driving.

Death was close to Peter J. Simpson, 61 years old, of 3129 Lapland avenue, when his automobile crashed into the north gate at the Missouri Pacific crossing at Kingshighway boulevard at 7 p. m. yesterday, but it passed him when he drove his car off the tracks just in time to avoid an on-rushing passenger train.

When he stopped his machine Police Lieutenant "Darryl" O'Brien was waiting for him. "That was pretty careless," said the Lieutenant. "You'll get a ticket." He ordered Simpson to appear in Police Court to answer a charge of careless driving. Simpson explained that his brakes were defective.

LOREE HEADS BOARD OF KATY  
Elected by Directors to Succeed C. E. Schaff Who Resigned.  
NEW YORK, April 20.—Leonore Loree, who is working on a plan for the merger of the Kansas City Southern, St. Louis-Southwestern and Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroads, has been named chairman of the board of directors and chairman of the Executive Committee of the "Katy" system to succeed C. E. Schaff.

Plans for bringing the three roads into closer unification are expected to be announced shortly after the return of Loree from California, around the end of the month. The directors approved the appointment of Charles N. Whitehead, now executive vice president, to succeed C. E. Schaff as president of the road on May 1.

## ORRICK MAKES A PLEA FOR PENSIONS FOR OLD POLICEMEN

Only in This Way Will Young Men Be Induced to Join Force, He Believes.  
Col. Allen C. Orrick, president of the Board of Police Commissioners, was the speaker yesterday at the Traffic Club luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce. His address was based upon the record of the present board's first 12 months in office and followed closely the lines of an interview with him published in the Post-Dispatch last March 28.

The speaker declared St. Louis could have a force of young, energetic policemen only after it had made provision for caring for superannuated veterans. He asked for support of police pension legislation which will probably be presented to the voters in November. The men who are retired for disability now are pensioned by the Police Pension Fund Association, a voluntary organization supported by contributions of members of the force.

TWO LIQUOR WARRANTS DENIED  
Patrolmen Report Refusal of Fania to Chief of Police.

Patrolman James E. Jones reported to Chief of Police Gerik that Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Fania yesterday refused to issue a search warrant for the Cement Finishers' Union Hall, 3969 Easton avenue, where he said he saw two men give a third 25 cents and then drink from a bucket which had the odor of homebrew when the third man returned with it.

Patrolman Theodore Kuehner reported Fania refused to issue a warrant against Robert Eastal of 1639 South Twelfth street, whose automobile the policeman said whisky was found. Fania and the police frequently have disagreed about liquor warrants.

DISCUSSES SOURCE OF BIBLE  
Prof. Farmer Addresses Interchurch Bible Conference Here.  
The Interchurch Bible Conference opened yesterday afternoon at Second Presbyterian Church, Taylor avenue and Westminster place, and will continue every afternoon and evening this week, except Saturday.

Dr. William Robertson Farmer of Pittsburgh, professor of the New Testament at Western Theological Seminary, is presiding. He opened the conference yesterday with an address on "The Manuscripts of the New Testament."

## FAMILY GETS \$365,000 ESTATE OF MRS. DAVIES

Supreme Court Upholds Setting Aside Document Offered by Capt. Harry Zeitun.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
KANSAS CITY, April 20.—The Supreme Court of Missouri has upheld the decision of the Clay County Circuit Court, by which a will, alleged to have been made by Mrs. Julia Woods Davies in favor of Capt. Harry Lello Zeitun of London, was set aside. This ends a three-year contest over the property.

The will now in effect leaves the property to George Westlain Davies of St. Louis. Mrs. Davies' fourth husband, who is an opera singer, and to other contestants. The estate, valued at about \$365,000, will be shared by Davies and by Mrs. Davies' daughters, Mrs. James M. Kemper and Miss Ruth Rubey. A settlement was made with Zeitun.

Mrs. Kemper was yesterday appointed administratrix by the Clay County Probate Court. Heretofore the estate has been administered by E. H. Norton. Mrs. Davies was the daughter of Dr. W. S. Woods. Capt. Zeitun had offered for probate a will by which he was a large beneficiary. He himself expressed surprise at the liberal terms of this instrument, which he just been finally set aside. But he explained it with ready fluency—

—he speaks 14 languages and is a London police court interpreter. When collecting a fabulous debt for some one of the nobility in Rome, he related, he met the Davies couple. Both conceived a high regard for him. When Mrs. Davis fell ill she hired him as secretary at \$500 a month, he said, and he nursed her back to health. Then she mysteriously departed for America and he never heard another word from her.

"It must have been that she was grateful for my having saved her life," he explained, but the court did not believe him.

Kansas City Banker Dies.  
KANSAS CITY, April 20.—Oscar H. Williams, 46 years old, president of the Mutual Bank and Mutual Securities Co., is dead. He was formerly president of the Mutual Oil Co. When he returned in 1924 his holdings were estimated at \$15,000,000. He had been with the company since it was organized.

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## 18 YEAR-OLD YOUTH SETS WORLD'S RECORD IN WINNING MARATHON

JOHN C. MILES  
BEATS DE MAR  
AND STENROOSLast Year's Champion  
Finishes Third and Finlander  
Second Behind Young  
Nova Scotian.Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
BOSTON, April 20.—John C.

Miles of Sydney Mines, a colliery town in Nova Scotia, was about the happiest youth in the United States this morning, following his victory in the world's record time in the Boston Marathon race. Running for the first time in a race over 10 miles, the young Canadian after setting a hot pace for the Finlander, Albert Stenroos, and the middle-aged favorite and former winner, Clarence De Mar, covered the 26 miles 238 yards in 2 hours 25 minutes 40 seconds. The best previous record was De Mar's time of 2:29:40.

Stenroos finished second and the loudly cheered favorite, De Mar, finished third.

Back in eighth place came another veteran of many marathons, William Kennedy, formerly a bricklayer of St. Louis, who gained fame 15 years ago there as a member of the Columbia Athletic Club.

Miles fresh at finish.

The Finlander-American A. C. of New York was awarded the team trophy.

Young Miles was fresh at the finish. Although born in Cardiff, Wales, he has spent most of his life in Sydney Mines, N. S., where he drives a grocery wagon. He was trained for the race by his father, John W. Miles, who formerly was a boxer. Miles had never run over the Hopkinton-Boston course, but walked over it once to study the terrain. His parents were at the clubhouse to greet him at the finish.

Stenroos, who had complained that the course was too short, said at the finish he believed it to be long enough.

The first 12 runners to finish were: 1, John C. Miles, Sydney Mines, N. S., 2:25:40 (new world record); 2, Albert Stenroos, Finland; 2:29:40; 3, Clarence De Mar, Melrose, 2:32:15; 4, Albert R. Michel, Port Chester, N. Y., 2:34:02; 5, Wallace Carlson, Dorchester, 2:40:05; 6, Karl Koski, New York, 2:41:22; 7, Nestor Erickson, New York, 2:42:35; 8, William Kennedy, Port Chester, N. Y., 2:44:01; 9, J. Foxcroft, Carleton, East Sandwich, 2:44:20; 10, R. R. Scholten, Toronto, 2:48:14; 11, Thomas E. Quinlan, Bedford, 2:53:32; 12, Christopher Bailek, Osterloo, 2:53:49.

## Box Score Notes

By the Associated Press.

Bob Grove of Philadelphia Athletics, a "wild man" of a year ago, held the Red Sox to three safeties and won the morning holiday game at Boston.

There were also good pitching performances by Carl Mays of Cincinnati, McGraw of Brooklyn and Dean of the Phillies.

McGraw's effort at Philadelphia gave the Dodgers their second straight victory over the Phils, 4 to 2.

Waner, Cuyler, Wright and Trautner of the champion Pirates gathered singles off the submarine servings of Mays at Cincinnati and managed to score a run in the final inning. The Reds registered seven off Kremer and Oldham to win, 2 to 1.

The Giants pounded a former teammate, Ross Ryan, and defeated the Braves, 8 to 3. Lindstrom had a perfect day at the bat with a triple and two singles.

After Grove had pitched his brilliant game in the morning the Red Sox went back in the afternoon and gained revenge against the Athletics with Ruffing in the box, 2 to 1. Biechler's sinking following hits by Rigney and Herrera, accounted for the winning runs. Simmons of the Athletics drove out the home run in the morning battle, the only man in the league outside of the Yankee fold to accomplish the feat since the season started.

Cleveland drove Blankenship of the White Sox from the mound and captured the game, 5 to 1, with another errorless performance behind the excellent marksmanship of Smith.

Cold weather caused the Yanks and Senators to postpone their game.

Leading Major League Hitters

NATIONAL LEAGUE.  
Player and Club, R. A. B. R. H. P.  
Johnston, Braves, 7-19 1 9 474  
Bresler, Reds, 6-18 3 8 444  
Clegg, Phillies, 6-23 5 10 435  
Hornbush, Cards, 7-28 5 12 420  
Wheat, Hobbs, 6-24 4 11 417AMERICAN LEAGUE.  
Player and Club, R. A. B. R. H. P.  
Finger, Red Sox, 6-26 5 13 510  
Spurgeon, Indians, 5-21 3 10 478  
Collins, Yankees, 6-15 4 4 407  
Dykes, Athletics, 6-29 4 12 414  
Rine, Tigers, 5-17 3 7 412YESTERDAY'S HOME RUNS.  
NATIONAL LEAGUE.  
Player—Club, No. Tot.  
Haley, St. Louis, 1 1  
1  
AMERICAN LEAGUE.  
Player—Club, No. Tot.  
Simmons, Philadelphia, 1 1  
1  
LEAGUE TOTALS.  
National League, 14  
American League, 15  
INDIVIDUAL LEADERS.  
Leah, Phillies, 2; Betts, Cardinals, 2; P. Collins, Yankees, 2.

Stecher Rolls Another.

By the Associated Press.  
OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., April 20.—Joe Stecher, champion of the world's heavyweight wrestling championship, defeated Nick LaRocca, Notre Dame University, in two out of three falls here last night.

## WRAY'S



## Fountain of Youth.

BURN up your slippers and sell your armchair to the antique man, Grandpa. The Fountain of Youth has been discovered.

And Ponce de Leon was all wrong. It isn't in Florida. It is any old place in the United States where there is fresh air and a place to exercise.

Athletics is proving to be the fabled fountain. Wrestlers Zbyzky, Demetral and others are still active at 50; Jim Ten Eyck at 76 is starting his twenty-third season as coach of the Syracuse rowing crew; Dan O'Leary, who is nearly 80, can still walk faster than some of us can trot; "Kid" Carpenter is pointing toward the light heavyweight championship of the ring, although it is his nineteenth year of boxing; and the ball players nearing middle age who are still a real major league menace are too numerous to mention.

Age Must Be Served.

In yesterday's marathon race, Miles, a youth of 18 years old, had to break world's record to finish a few yards in front of Clarence De Mar who is past 40. William Kennedy, who is still older and who ran marathons in this city so long ago he has been forgotten, finished eighth.

If you want to find the fountain of youth, take your feet from under the dining-room table, keep them off the brass rail and take up out-door sports, any variety.

You won't find your lost youth indoors.

Come on Walter.

BECAUSE he pitched and won a 15-inning game critics began to shake their heads over Walter Johnson. But Johnson can stand the gauntlet better than many a younger man.

In fact, Johnson is approaching the world's longevity record in pitching, now held by Cy Young.

Cyus pitched 22 years of major league baseball, winning 507 out of 828 games for a percentage of .612.

This is Johnson's twentieth year and he is still going strong after Cy's mark.

A Live Rabbit.

PERIAPS they have taken the "rabbit" out of the baseball. But they haven't deleted one rabbit from the American League. That's "Rabbit" Miller Huggins.

Not so long ago, in Florida, they were throwing the hammer, the tongs and much of the coal at the Rabbit. They were calling for a new manager and consigning the Yankees to the cellar. The team was "out of hand and running wild" on Huggins. The men were misbehaving and Ruth was going so strong that a measure for his baseball coffin was in order.

Now Huggins is having his inning. Even if his club proves one of those spring wonders, as is probable, he will have the satisfaction of having shown to the public that his detractors were wrong. His team certainly went to the opening of this year's war in shape to play baseball.

Time to lay off the "Rabbit," after all these years of mud-throwing, it seems to one at long range.

The Difference.

E D LEWIS, Stecher and other wrestlers, as champions, have barnstormed the country "defending their crowns" against tyro in some instances, and in most cases against men who couldn't or wouldn't make a serious effort to defeat them. It has hurt the wrestling game badly and it will kill it, some day or other, if persisted in.

These matches are exhibitions and should be labeled such. The public is entitled to protection against misrepresentation.

In boxing it's different. Jack Dempsey goes about knocking over hams and stiffs from one end of the country to the other. But the contests are "exhibitions" and are called such. No reference to them as being "title contests" is made.

That's why boxing has enjoyed a greater confidence than is to be found in wrestling.

Huskies to Meet Tigers.

By the Associated Press.  
SEATTLE, Wash., April 20.—Washington and Princeton University varsity and junior varsity crews will meet on Lake Carnegie, New Jersey, over a mile and three-quarters course June 18. The races constitute the first athletic competition between Washington and Princeton.Bear Swimmers  
Easy Victors in  
Last Tank MeetPrincipia Academy Team Scores  
Only 13 1-2 Points Against  
Varsity's 46 1-2.

Washington U. swimmers defeated Principia, 46 1/2 to 13 1/2, last night at Wilson Pool. In the last indoor aquatic meet of the season for both teams. The Bruin paddlers scored first in every event, while the Academy tank men provided threats in two, the dash relay and the 100-yard dash, with close following seconds.

Capt. Ewerhardt, who swam for the last time in the green silks of the Pikeway team, closed his varsity career with a victory in the 25-yard dash and contributed to the dash relay victory over the medley relay event which the Washington trio swam unopposed against time. Ullman and Haverstick, veteran performers, closed their records with a second place each.

McArdle and R. Baer, Washington record-setters, performed as usual, taking firsts in the breast stroke and 220-yard swim, respectively, and swimming in the relays. Victories by Power, sophomore, in the 100-yard dash, and Heidemann, freshman, in the back stroke, lent more color to the promise of Coach Bauer's tank squad for the next season.

Montgomery also worked out here yesterday, but he restricted his training to road work in Forest Park. Montgomery will do no boxing between now and Thursday night. He has been very actively engaged recently and under orders from his trainer he is protecting his hands while keeping fit with general conditioning exercises.

Joe Rivers of Kansas City, a Mexican by birth, made a very favorable impression in his three-round workout at the National Gymnasium. He is scheduled to meet Chick Saunders in the third bout of the evening.

He displayed a left jab which had the weight of a sledge hammer and the delicacy of a tap and he boxed cleverly. This

David Stone and David More took seconds for Principia. Stone taking scoring honors by virtue of two additional third places. Conspicuous among the Principia paddlers was Douglas Baer, younger brother of Roland Baer, Washington varsity swimmer. The Principia dash relay of More, Penfield, Baer and Stone sprang a surprise by cutting down the Bruin's early dash relay advantage to a small gap at the finish. Baer, Cohn, Power and Ewerhardt swam in the event for Washington.

Bauer to Hold Unique Test.

Tomorrow afternoon Coach Bauer will hold a competitive test between the Washington varsity men to determine the winner of a silver plaque mounted on ebony which the Pikeway tank mentor is offering. The form of test arranged will consist of swimming the 25-yard, 50-yard and 100-yard dashes for time, with the wooden block, used to develop swimmers' arm muscles, strapped to the feet of the swimmers.

The summary:

100-YARD BACKSTROKE—Heidemann, Washington, first; Penfield, Principia, second; Kaechler, Washington, third. Time, 1:14.

50-YARD SWIM—Ewerhardt, Washington, first; Stone, Principia, second; Penfield, Principia, third. Time, 1:27.

220-YARD SWIM—Baer, Washington, first; Haverstick, Washington, second; Malick, Principia, third. Time, 4:09.

100-YARD SWIM—Power, Washington, first; More, Principia, second; Penfield, Principia, third. Time, 1:00.

100-YARD BREASTSTROKE—McArdle, Washington, first; Ullman, Washington, second; Penfield, Principia, third. Time, 1:17.

FANCY DIVING—Jones, Washington, first; Mullins, Washington, second; Braun, Principia, third. Scores, 17.75, 9.1 and 7.35, respectively.

Minor League Results.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.  
Indianapolis 3, Milwaukee 1.  
Cleveland 3, St. Paul 6.  
Louisville 10, Kansas City 10.  
St. Louis 13, Minneapolis 10.SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.  
Little Rock 8, Chattanooga 6.  
Mobile 1, Birmingham 1.  
Birmingham 10, New Orleans 6.  
Memphis 6, Nashville 12.TEXAS.  
Shreveport 6, Dallas 1.  
Wichita Falls 7, Fort Worth 5.  
Waco 3, Houston 10.  
San Antonio 2, Houston 1.PACIFIC COAST.  
San Francisco 5, San Francisco 5.  
Only game scheduled.INTERNATIONAL.  
No games played; cold.WESTERN.  
Dea Melges 3, Tulsa 1.  
Omaha 5, St. Joseph 9.  
Lincoln 6, Oklahoma City 8.  
Denver 16, Wichita 15.COTTON STATES.  
Hattiesburg 2, Monroe 6.  
Meridian 4, Alexandria 2.  
Vicksburg 7, Gulfport 6.  
Jackson 5, Laurel 2.WESTERN ASSOCIATION.  
Ardmore 3, Okmulgee 2.  
Fort Smith 4, McAlester 1.  
Muskeogee 6, Springfield 5.

Minor League Standings.

TEXAS.  
Club, W. L. Pct.  
San Antonio, 3-2, .600  
Dallas, 3-2, .600  
Beaumont, 2-3, .400  
Shreveport, 3-3, .500  
Fort Worth, 1-3, .250PACIFIC COAST.  
Club, W. L. Pct.  
Los Angeles, 7-2, .778  
San Francisco, 5-2, .706  
Oakland, 5-2, .706  
Seattle, 4-3, .571AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.  
Club, W. L. Pct.  
Louisville, 5-1, .833  
St. Paul, 4-6, .400  
Milwaukee, 4-7, .364  
Tulsa, 4-6, .400  
Cleveland, 3-6, .333  
St. Louis, 4-6, .400  
Kansas City, 1-6, .143WESTERN.  
Club, W. L. Pct.  
St. Joe, 4-5, .444  
Tulsa, 4-5, .444  
Wichita, 4-5, .444  
D. Mo., 3-5, .429  
Lincoln, 1-5, .167WESTERN ASSOCIATION.  
Club, W. L. Pct.  
Ardmore, 4-1, .800  
Fort Smith, 3-1, .750  
Muskeogee, 3-1, .750  
McAlester, 2-1, .667SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.  
Club, W. L. Pct.  
Memphis, 4-2, .667  
New Orleans, 4-2, .667  
Jackson, 4-2, .667  
Hattiesburg, 3-2, .600  
Meridian, 3-2, .600  
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Alexandria, 4-1, .800Renault, Expecting a Bout  
With Wills, Hopes to Beat  
Montgomery DecisivelyCanadian Here for Match Thursday Night Goes Through  
Hard Work—Former Centre College Football  
Star Will Have Big Weight Advantage.

Jack Renault, persistent challenger of Champion Jack Dempsey for the world's heavyweight boxing championship, will be out-weighted by about 15 pounds when he faces Sully Montgomery in the new Coliseum ring Thursday night. Renault arrived in St. Louis at 5 o'clock last evening and one hour later he was in the National gymnasium where he engaged in a full hour's vigorous exercise.

Renault today is closer to a bout with Harry Wills and a subsequent battle with Dempsey than he has been in the past two years, and he expressed himself as quite well aware of the necessity of scoring a decisive victory over Montgomery. Renault declared that he has never in his career been in better physical condition. He is about 12 pounds lighter than when he fought here last January. At that time he stopped Quentin Romero Rojas and Jack Adams on successive appearances.

Montgomery Works Out.

Montgomery also worked out here yesterday, but he restricted his training to road work in Forest Park. Montgomery will do no boxing between now and Thursday night. He has been very actively engaged recently and under orders from his trainer he is protecting his hands while keeping fit with general conditioning exercises.

Joe Rivers of Kansas City, a Mexican by birth, made a very favorable impression in his three-round workout at the National Gymnasium. He is scheduled to meet Chick Saunders in the third bout of the evening.

He displayed a left jab which had the weight of a sledge hammer and the delicacy of a tap and he boxed cleverly. This

David Stone and David More took seconds for Principia. Stone taking scoring honors by virtue of two additional third places. Conspicuous among the Principia paddlers was Douglas Baer, younger brother of Roland Baer, Washington varsity swimmer. The Principia dash relay of More, Penfield, Baer and Stone sprang a surprise by cutting down the Bruin's early dash relay advantage to a small gap at the finish. Baer, Cohn, Power and Ewerhardt swam in the event for Washington.

Bauer to Hold Unique Test.

Tomorrow afternoon Coach Bauer will hold a competitive test between the Washington varsity men to determine the winner of a silver plaque mounted on ebony which the Pikeway tank mentor is offering. The form of test arranged will consist of swimming the 25-yard, 50-yard and 100-yard dashes for time, with the wooden block, used to develop swimmers' arm muscles, strapped to the feet of the swimmers.

The summary:

100-YARD BACKSTROKE—Heidemann, Washington, first; Penfield, Principia, second; Kaechler, Washington, third. Time, 1:14.

50-YARD SWIM—Ewerhardt, Washington, first; Stone, Principia, second; Penfield, Principia, third. Time, 1:27.

220-YARD SWIM—Baer, Washington, first; Haverstick, Washington, second; Malick, Principia, third. Time, 4:09.

100-YARD SWIM—Power, Washington, first; More, Principia, second; Penfield, Principia, third. Time, 1:00.

100-YARD BREASTSTROKE—McArdle, Washington, first; Ullman, Washington, second; Penfield, Principia, third. Time, 1:17.

FANCY DIVING—Jones, Washington, first; Mullins, Washington, second; Braun, Principia, third. Scores, 17.75, 9.1 and 7.35, respectively.

Amateur Baseball

Games Wanted By—

St. Hedwig Boosters, a junior independent team, Joe Trudinski, 4028 Virginia avenue.

Rock Island, C. P. Varner, care Rock Island Railroad, Second and Carle streets.

Ellenwood A. C. for next Sunday and month of May. George Hale, 4515 Delor street, Riverdale 1041W.

Julia Giants, from April 25 to end of season. Elmer Nowotny, 1359 Meard street, Nashville.

Hoffmeisters, to be played at Melville, Mo. Walter Schindler, 716 Louisiana avenue, St. Louis County.

Helmans, Jr., 16 years. Carl Wand, 6222 E. 12th, St. Louis.

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Indoor Berth Wanted.

The Walk Over, A. C. indoor baseball team wishes to enter a league. L. N. Buzich, 1521 Washington avenue.

Opening in Commercial.

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THAT new concrete wall in front of the right field pavilion is going to cost the St. Louis club plenty this season. If yesterday is taken as an indication, that wall just plays havoc with baseballs. After one collision with the wall, said baseball is usually unfit for further duty. It comes back, not only badly skinned, but with various other sorts of contusions.

For instance, there was the Cardinal practice batting practice. Twenty-eight perfectly good baseballs collided with the concrete and 28 perfectly good baseballs were relegated to the ash heap.

This total, if it swells to those proportions each day, will add materially to the St. Louis team's bills for baseballs during the year.

PREP LEAGUE OPENS  
BALL SEASON TODAY

Country Day and St. Louis U. High will open their Preparatory League baseball schedules this afternoon at the Billiken field, Kingshighway and Oakland, at 3:15 p.m. Chamaine and Christian Brothers High will meet at the latter's field, Clayton and Bellevue, at the same time.

Yesterday the Junior Billikens defeated Soldan High in a practice game, 7 to 5.

Stribling Signs to  
Box BerlenbachJune 10 Is Tentative Date for  
Light-Heavy Title Bout  
in New York.Social to the Post-Dispatch.  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 20.—W. L. (Young) Stribling has accepted the offer for a title match with Paul Berlenbach, light-heavyweight champion, on a tentative

date of June 10, according to an announcement the young manager, Pa. Stribling, here made. "We knew for some time that the offer was pending, since New York Boxing Commission recently said that if the Berlenbach match failed to materialize, we would be given the opportunity to make a title fight," Pa. said.

"I expect to win, absolutely," Young Stribling's only comment. The Atlanta youth is expected to go 10 rounds tonight in Kansas City, Kan., with Joe Lehman, Grand Rapids, Mich.

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of His Share of Brother's  
Estate in Berlin.

Paul Mendel, an elevator operator at the Missouri Athletic Association, has been notified of an inheritance of \$10,000 and a large amount of real estate from his brother, who died eight years ago in Berlin.

In 1900 Mendel came here from Berlin, leaving his elder brother, Arnold, and his sister, Mrs. Laura money.

Arnold became the head of a department store in Berlin. My sister wrote me about Arnold's death when I was working as a utility man at the City Hospital," he said today. "But I didn't know the money was there and I could get it when I wanted."

Yesterday I got a letter from my sister telling me once more about the money and saying that my name must be signed to the papers before they could sell Arnold's real estate. I let a share of that, too."

He will invest the money in real estate and quit his elevator job. Last night all the employees at the A. A. were factotums to him, addressing him as "sis."

Inquiring solicitously as to what he wants. He told them that he might come to a guest soon and then he would keep them running their elevators day and night.

AUTO DRIVER WHO FAILED  
TO STOP GETS FOUR YEARSLos Angeles Judge Adds \$400 Fine  
to Penalty of Wealthy  
Manufacturer.By the Associated Press.  
LOS ANGELES, April 20.—Louis M. Lehman, wealthy owner of a metal company here, has been sentenced by Superior Judge Charles Burnell to four years in San Quentin penitentiary and fined \$4000 for failure to stop and render aid after his automobile had run down and seriously injured two elderly women and a man. Witnesses testified Lehman was intoxicated.

Declaring that pedestrians must be protected against "these drunk fools that drive cars as recklessly as if they were on wheels of fire," Judge Burnell projected a new policy into his court.

"I realize," he said, "that one judge sitting in one department of the Superior Court may not be able to accomplish very much to stop this sort of thing, but as far as one man can do it, I am going to send out a message to the world that every one of these debauched fools such as this man, who drives on the streets or highways at the wheel of a modern juggernaut and kills or injures defenseless people, is going to receive the severest punishment it is in my power to give or recommend."

Three of Joseph Heffner's six children, the eldest 7 years old, have died since Saturday of pneumonia, and the other three are seriously ill of the same disease. The family, living at 4305 Beechwood avenue, Pine Lawn, St. Louis County, is destitute, Heffner being out of work and ill himself.

The family is being cared for by neighbors.

Minnie, 2 years old, died Saturday morning. Stella, 5 years old, died last night. Mary, 4, died last night. Catherine, 6; Josephine, 7, and Nellie, 15 months old, are confined to their beds while Heffner, who is a laborer, is too ill to seek work. His wife is caring for them all.

BROTHER SHOTS YOUTH IN  
STRUGGLE FOR REVOLVER

Tony Murawski, 18 years old, is in city hospital today with a bullet wound in the abdomen suffered last night when he and his brother, Edward, 28 years old, 1415 North Tenth street, were struggling for possession of a revolver at the latter's home.

The younger brother first declared he was wounded when the revolver was accidentally discharged as he walked down the street. Later, however, he told the police, when he took his brother's home to collect some money and a quarrel ensued. His brother brandished a revolver, he said, and then he, too, obtained a revolver. In a struggle for possession of his revolver, it was accidentally discharged, he said. Edward was arrested and released on bond pending the result of his brother's wound.

ROBBED OF \$100 WHILE  
MAKING TOUR OF CITY

A desire to "see St. Louis" cost Peter Botocet of Lemon, S. D., \$100, which he collected here Saturday from his mother's estate, he reported to police yesterday. Botocet said he arrived in St. Louis Saturday morning and Sunday met a young couple who took him to a show and gave him several drinks.

When he arose at noon yesterday in his room on Market street he said the money, which he had placed in his trousers pocket, was missing.

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WE'LL PUT YOU UP AT  
EL—GOSH UNCLE I'M  
WE FOUND YOU!

IF THEY  
HADN'T  
GOT  
STRANDED  
THEY  
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HAVE  
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THE OLD  
FELLOW—  
WOULDN'T  
THEY?

NO HOTEL FOR  
ME! I'LL CAMP  
OUT IN THE OPEN  
IF YOU DON'T MIND

LUCK  
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EVERYONE AGREES  
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DOUGLAS MACLEAN  
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Big Triple Program  
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"The Only Thing"

O'FALLON  
"The Grand Duchess"  
"The Near Lady"

UNION  
"The Grand Duchess"  
"The Near Lady"

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"The Near Lady"

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# FRUIT MARKET

Apples Steady With Demand Moderate.  
ST. LOUIS FRUIT MARKET, April 20.—Apples were steady, supply and demand being moderate. Sales were reported of 100 to 150 bushels of 1 1/2 inch and 1 3/4 inch sizes, 75 to 100 bushels of 2 inch size, 50 to 75 bushels of 2 1/2 inch size, and 25 to 50 bushels of 3 inch size. Prices were steady, supplies being moderate.

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ON THE STAGE  
Gene Rodemich  
and His Orchestra

Supported by  
BRITT WOOD  
The Boob and His Harmonica

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LON CHANEY  
"OUTSIDE THE LAW"

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CHARLEY CHASE COMEDY

# Future Grain Prices

ST. LOUIS FUTURE GRAIN EXCHANGE, April 20.—Following are the official quotations of local grain and other markets as received from Kansas City and other markets.

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Stop! Don't You  
Cut Off My Leg

"Had 61 ulcers on my legs. Doctors wanted to cut off one leg. Peterson's Ointment cured me." William J. Nichols, 402 Wilder Street, Rochester, N. Y.

Peterson's Ointment  
USE CANTHROX  
Shampoo

A HINT TO THE BOBBED GIRL  
Specialize in the Post-Dispatch.

St. Louis Hay Market.  
Timothy hay continued to rule firm under light receipts with local demand for good quality.

St. Louis Cash Grain.  
Following is a partial list of sales of cash grain made on the exchange:

St. Louis Butter, Eggs and Poultry.  
ST. LOUIS BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTRY EXCHANGE, April 20.—Following are the official quotations of local butter, eggs and poultry as received from Kansas City and other markets.

Produce Elsewhere  
NEW YORK, April 20.—Butter—Firm, receipts 10,000 cases. Higher prices for good quality.

Country Produce  
BEANS AND PEAS—Hard-shell Michigan, white beans at \$2.25 and prime machine picked at \$2.50.

STOCK PRICES  
ST. LOUIS STOCK EXCHANGE, April 20.—Following are the official quotations of local stock prices as received from Kansas City and other markets.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS AND BORROWERS OF THE BOHEMIAN AMERICAN BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION "SLOVAN"

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# BREAK IN WHEAT

ST. LOUIS FUTURE GRAIN EXCHANGE, April 20.—Strength of Liverpool and report of Continental buying of Manitoba caused sharp upturn in wheat early, but there was reaction from high later in the day. Corn was influenced by wheat price and weather for field work.

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# VEGETABLE MARKET

Potato Demand Slow and Trade Dull.  
ST. LOUIS PRODUCE ROW, April 20.—Supplies of old stock potatoes were liberal, demand slow and trade dull. Sales were reported of 10 to 15 carloads of 100 to 150 bushels of 1 1/2 inch and 1 3/4 inch sizes, 75 to 100 bushels of 2 inch size, 50 to 75 bushels of 2 1/2 inch size, and 25 to 50 bushels of 3 inch size. Prices were steady, supplies being moderate.

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# ZINC PRODUCERS END SESSIONS HERE TODAY

American Institute Seeking to Reach Understanding on Business Practices.  
Representatives of various phases of the zinc industry are endeavoring to establish a basis of amicable business practices and prices at the eighth annual convention of the American Zinc Institute in its closing session at the Coronado Hotel today.

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When Flowers of May  
Represent the Pictures

Photography appeals to you—why not get a good camera?  
Just a "question of price"? But listen. A camera owner has found a new interest. He no longer follows the "snapping" game. He has a fine camera for sale. You can buy it at less than cost.

Get together—to the advantage of both of you.  
His camera may be one of the many articles advertised For Sale in the Post-Dispatch classified columns today or tomorrow—any day.

Or he may be watching the "Camera Wanted" want ads hoping your advertisement will appear.  
You can get together through the Post-Dispatch want columns.

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or Leave the Order With Your Druggist

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### Earning Reports

NEW YORK, April 27.—Cities Service Co. net earnings for 1925 amounted to \$13,938,971, an increase of \$2,219,322 over 1924. After deducting taxes, the company has equal to 3.19 times the preferred stock dividend requirements against the total of \$1,056,000. The balance for common stock and reserves after preferred dividends is \$11,122,966, the equivalent of 15.24 per cent. earned on the \$735,417,426 outstanding common stock during the 12 months ended February 28, 1925.

Remington Arms Co. 1925 reports net use of \$1,652,935 for 1925 after expenses, interest and other charges.

Hupp Motor Car Co. has net profit of \$1,122,303 for the first quarter of 1925. This represents the same as the common, against \$82,932 or 93c a share in the corresponding period of 1925.

Hudson & Manhattan Railroad reports net income of \$518,171 for the quarter. This represents the same as the common and interest, which includes adjustment bond interest, equal after a

compares with \$454,004 or 37c a share in the first quarter of 1925.

Cushman Sons, Inc., reported net profits of \$1,000,000 for the first nine months of 1925, equaling after preferred dividends to \$2.62 a share on the common stock, against \$18,943 or \$1.10 a share in the first quarter of 1925.

## New Securities

By the Associated Press.

**NEW YORK, April 20.**—Public offering will be made today of \$5,000,000 of Puget Sound Power and Light Co. first and refunding mortgage 5 per cent gold bonds, series B, by a syndicate headed by Lehman Brothers & Co. The bonds are priced at 99½ and interest yielding 5.10 per cent.

## Gold Movement to Canada.

By the Associated Press.

**NEW YORK, April 20.**—Gold shipments began moving to Canada yesterday for the first time since the gold embargo against American and Canadian dollars, the latter valued at 10 per cent of the former and 1 per cent. The first shipment was made by the Canadian National Bank and International Acceptance Bank and Harris, which will follow.

Other shipments probably will follow.

The recent strength of Canadian exchange has contributed movement to the country following the decision in connection with the gold embargo.

Following the opening up of navigation on the Great Lakes last fall when Canadian wheat was being shipped in large volumes and the Canadian dollar was quoted around its present rate, about \$40,000,000 in gold.

was sent across the northern border. The  
side turned later when the Canadian dollar  
rate began to decline, being quoted as low  
as 90.57 cents on March 3, last. The re-  
turn movement of gold which followed the  
decline in the Canadian rate totaled 50  
000,000.

.....	\$ 25,000,000.00
.....	20,000,000.00

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.....	920,504.34
.....	50,000.00
of Credit .....	8,861,951.08
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	<u>\$464,680,045.34</u>

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# \$100,000.00 <sup>one week</sup> FURNITURE SALE

save 33 1/3 to 50%

Monday and Tuesday were huge days in this sale and hundreds of St. Louisans were quick to realize the tremendous savings that can be made here. We have specially arranged a sensational group of Summery furnishings for Wednesday. You will profit handsomely by choosing all needs now and use your credit freely.

**Steamer Chairs With Arms**  
\$2.00 Value, for This Sale Only, at  
**\$1.00**  
STRONG Steamer Chairs made with arms, maple frame and canvas seats.

**5-Piece Garden Set**  
\$1.50 Value, for This Sale Only, at  
**69c**  
A HANDY 5-piece Garden Set for cultivating small gardens, flower gardens and bushes.

**Sale of Garden Spades**  
\$1.00 Value, for This Sale Only, at  
**46c**  
A SPECIAL offer of good steel Garden Spades with handles of oak, brass and steel hand grips. Basement.

**Porch Swing**  
\$4.75 Value, for This Sale Only, at  
**\$1.98**  
A LARGE Porch Swing made of hardwood and with chain included.

**Plant Box**  
\$2.00 Value, for This Sale, at  
**\$1.00**  
GREEN Plant Boxes for use on window sills and porches.

**Lawn Mower**  
\$13 Value, for This Sale, at  
**\$6.95**  
A 14-inch Lawn Mower with long handle and sharp blades.  
**\$1.00 Cash**



**\$65 3-Piece Fiber Sunroom Suites**

**\$39.75**  
Priced for This Sale Only at  
THESE Suites are made of the finest fiber, with willow backs and fiber tops. They are finished in brown, tipped with gold or orange, tipped with green, and decorated in red and blue. The spring cushions are the comfortable automobile type and the newest 1926 cretonne covers are embodied.

**\$3 Cash—Balance Monthly**

**\$165 3-Pc. Fiber Coil Spring Bed Suites**

**\$89**  
Priced for This Sale Only, at  
EXQUISITE reed fiber Suites in baronial brown or new taupe-finish—decorated. The davenport opens into a full-size coil box spring bed. All cushions are removable and excellent figured cretonne upholstery is featured. All-felt mattress pad for the davenport is included.

**\$8.00 Cash—Balance Monthly**



**Bentwood Settee**  
\$12.00 Value, for This Sale Only, at  
**\$6.50**  
GREEN Enamel Bentwood Settee. Large size, made of hardwood.  
**\$1.00 Cash**

**"Cable" Chair**  
\$2.25 Value, at  
**\$1.00**  
STEEL Folding Chairs that are practical for use as card party chairs, automobiles and camping.

**50-Ft. Rubber Hose**  
\$7.50 Value at  
**\$3.98**  
HUMMER 50-foot complete Rubber Hose with couplings.  
**\$1.00 Cash**

**Handy Container**  
\$2 Value at  
**\$1.00**  
A HANDY combination food container that will keep foods or liquids hot or cold for hours. Fine for cuttings.

**Baby Sulky**  
\$2.75 Value, at  
**\$1.79**  
A LARGE Sulky, well made with imitation leather seat and long handle. Basement.

**Hose Reel**  
\$2.00 Value, at  
**\$1.00**  
A excellent Hose Reel, will hold 25-foot hose. Very convenient.

**Fine Fiber Rockers**  
\$16.00 Value, at the Union  
**\$8.95**  
EXCELLENT Fiber Rockers in several choice colors and auto-mobile seats upholstered in hand-some cretonne.  
**\$1.00 Cash—Balance Monthly**

**Fiber Tea Wagon**  
\$15 Value, at  
**\$3.98**  
USEFUL dainty Tea Wagon made of fiber and beautifully finished. Serving tray is included.  
**\$1.00 Cash**

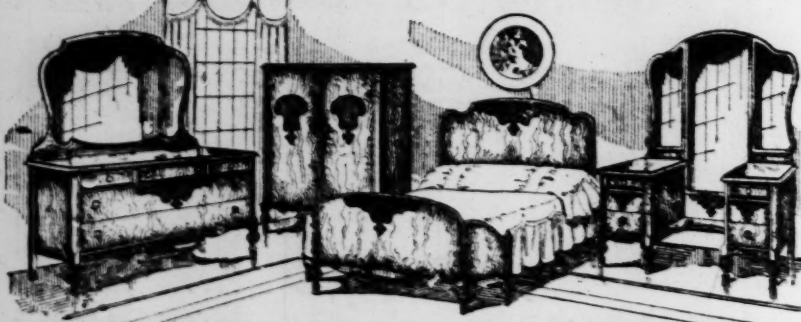
**Baby Carriage**  
\$28 Value at  
**\$16.50**  
LLOYD make Baby Carriages of reed fiber with reed hoods, strong springs and rubber tired wheels.  
**\$1.00 Cash**

**Gray Enamel Baby Stroller**  
\$18 Value at  
**\$8.95**  
BABY Strollers of reed fiber with rubber tired wheels and strong springs.  
**\$1.00 Cash**

**Reed Fernery**  
\$27 Value, at  
**\$17.95**  
COMBINATION Fernery and Bird Cage of reed and fiber, nicely finished.  
**\$1.00 Cash**

**Porch Rockers**  
\$22.00 Value, at the Union for  
**\$1**  
A SPECIAL sale of Porch Rockers, durably made of maple with double rush fiber seats.

## \$400 Genuine Blended Walnut Bed Suites



**\$235**  
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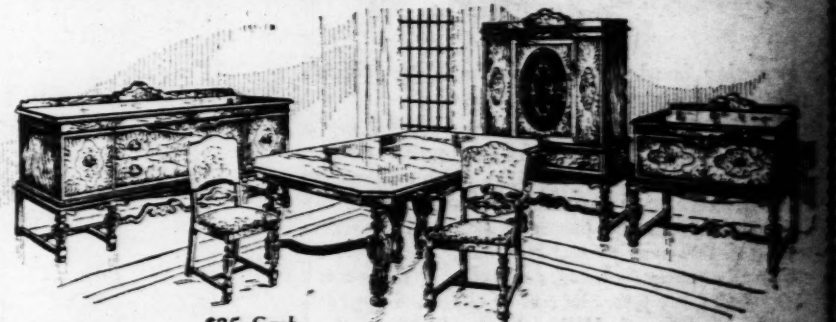
EXQUISITE four-piece blended walnut Bedroom Suites, expertly constructed and elegantly designed—mahogany construction, dustproof, and gold vein panel design; 52-inch dresser, full-length vanity, chiffonier and double bow-end bed.

**\$18 Cash—Balance Monthly**

## \$425 10-Pc. Genuine Blended Walnut Suites

**\$310**  
Priced for This Sale Only, at

CONSISTING of 70-inch buffet, mahogany interiors, dustproof; exquisite china cabinet with drawer below; oblong extension table, server, 6 velvet-upholstered back chairs, one an armchair. An excellent Italian design Dining Suite, wonderfully constructed and designed; made of genuine walnut, blended Venetian finish. Really a sensational value.



**\$25 Cash**

**Large Dresser**  
\$35 Value for This Sale  
**\$23.65**  
LARGE Dressers in walnut finish and with swinging mirrors, drawers and spacious clothes hanging compartment.  
**\$1.00 Cash**

**Drop-Side Wood Baby Crib**  
\$12 Value at  
**\$6.48**  
A STANDARD size wood Crib with drop side, good spring and in fine sherry wood.  
**\$1.00 Cash**

**9x12 Axminster Rugs**  
\$50 Value at  
**\$29.75**  
9x12 size heavy pile Axminster Rugs. Well made and in new all-over patterns.  
**\$1.00 Cash**

**9x12 Velvet Rugs**  
\$40 Value at  
**\$24.50**  
One-piece 9x12 Velvet Rugs, expertly made and a choice of beautiful new patterns.  
**\$1.00 Cash**

**"Royal Easy Chairs"**  
\$35 Value, for This Sale  
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THIS style illustrated was made especially for us of extra-heavy construction and imitation Spanish leather upholstery. Reclining back and footrest that slides back out of sight are exclusive features.  
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**Ruche-Coopersmith COIL-SPRING DA-BED**  
\$55 Value at  
**\$38.40**  
RUCHE-COOPERSMITH make Coil Spring Bed that has automatic opening feature and coil springs of oil-tempered wire. Ends and heavy cretonne mattress to fit.  
**\$3.00 Cash**

**"Gibson" All-White Enamel Refrigerator**  
\$80 Value, for This Sale  
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THESE are the most sensational Refrigerator values of the year. "Gibson" make all-white enameled, both inside and outside. They have the patented "Gibson Ice Trap" included, and are built compact.  
**\$3.00 Cash**

**"Gibson" Refrigerator**  
\$27 Value, for This Sale  
**\$17.95**  
"GIBSON" make side-ice Refrigerator; made of solid oak and with white enameled food chambers. Two-quart water cooler and 4 refrigerator dishes included.  
**\$1 Cash—Balance Monthly**

**"Famous" Cabinet Gas Ranges**  
(With White Enameled Back and Door Panels)  
\$55 Value, For This Sale at  
**\$37.85**  
The biggest Cabinet Gas Range value in town. These ranges—the style "Famous" Gas Ranges—have 4 burners, large oven and broiler and enameled door panels and splashers back. They are fully guaranteed.  
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**"Superior" 3-Burner Gas Ranges**  
Made by Bridge & Beach Range Co. of St. Louis  
\$28 Value—For This Sale Only at  
**\$16.95**  
A special sale of "Superior" three-burner Gas Ranges with large oven and enameled door panel. They are efficient bakers and are fully guaranteed.  
**\$1.00 Cash**

**Camp Chair With Arms**  
\$4.50 Value at  
**\$2.75**  
AN excellent Camp Chair that folds compactly. Made with arms and strong canvas seats.  
Basement.

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**Beautiful Boudoir Lamps**  
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POLYCHROME Lamps in ivory, green and gold, and gold finishes. The bases have figured bottoms and the metal shades are neatly lined.  
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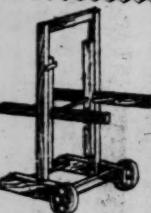
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We have specially ar-

## Lawn Mower

\$13 Value,  
\$6.95A 14-inch Lawn Mower  
with long handle and  
sharp blades.  
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## Hose Reel

\$2.00 Value,  
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Reel; will hold 50-  
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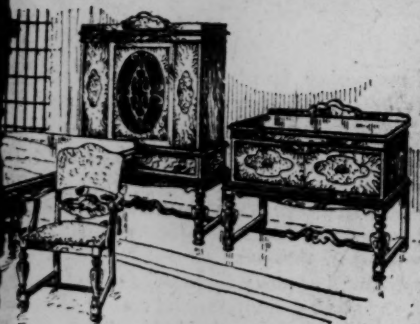
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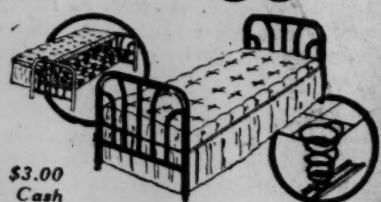
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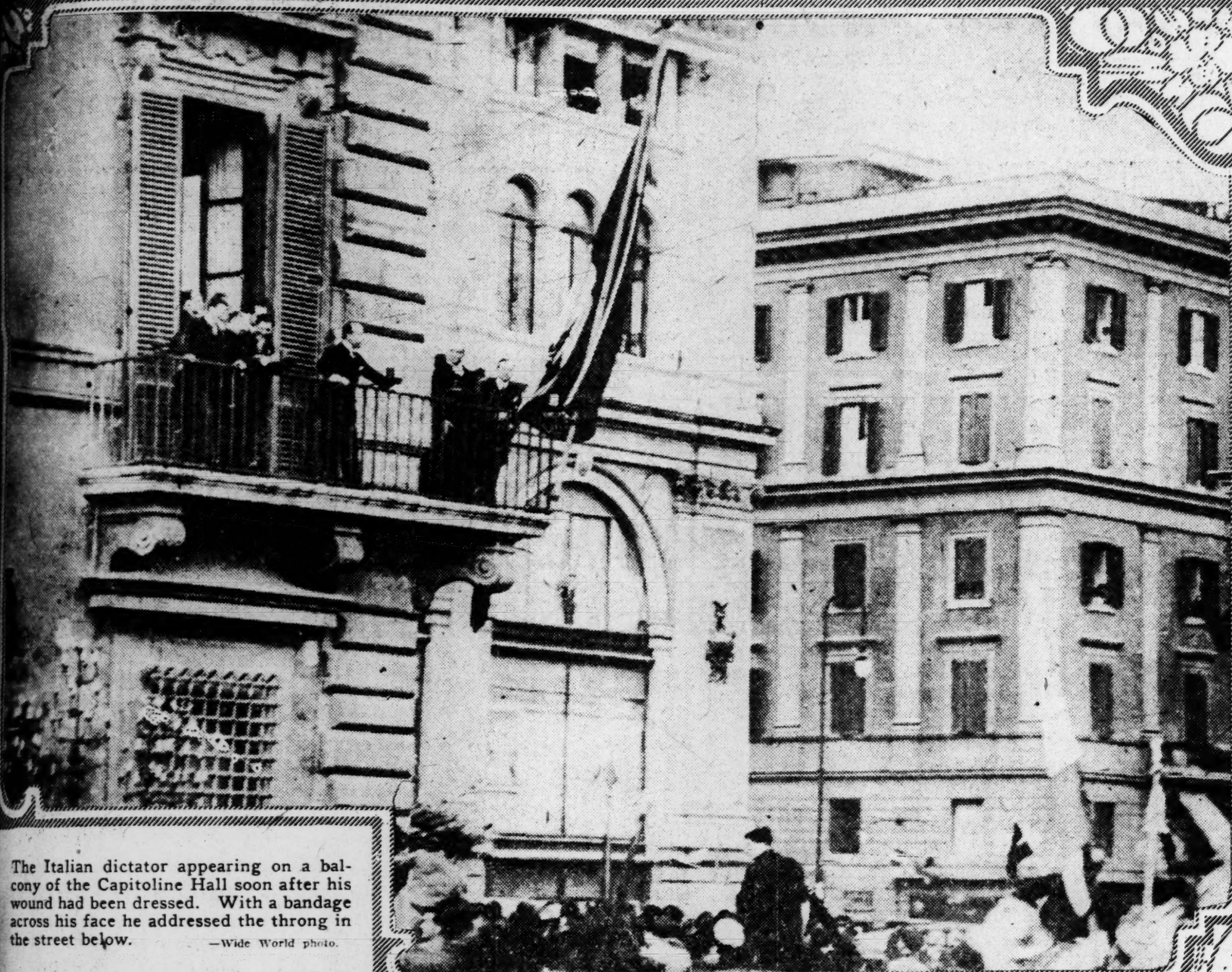
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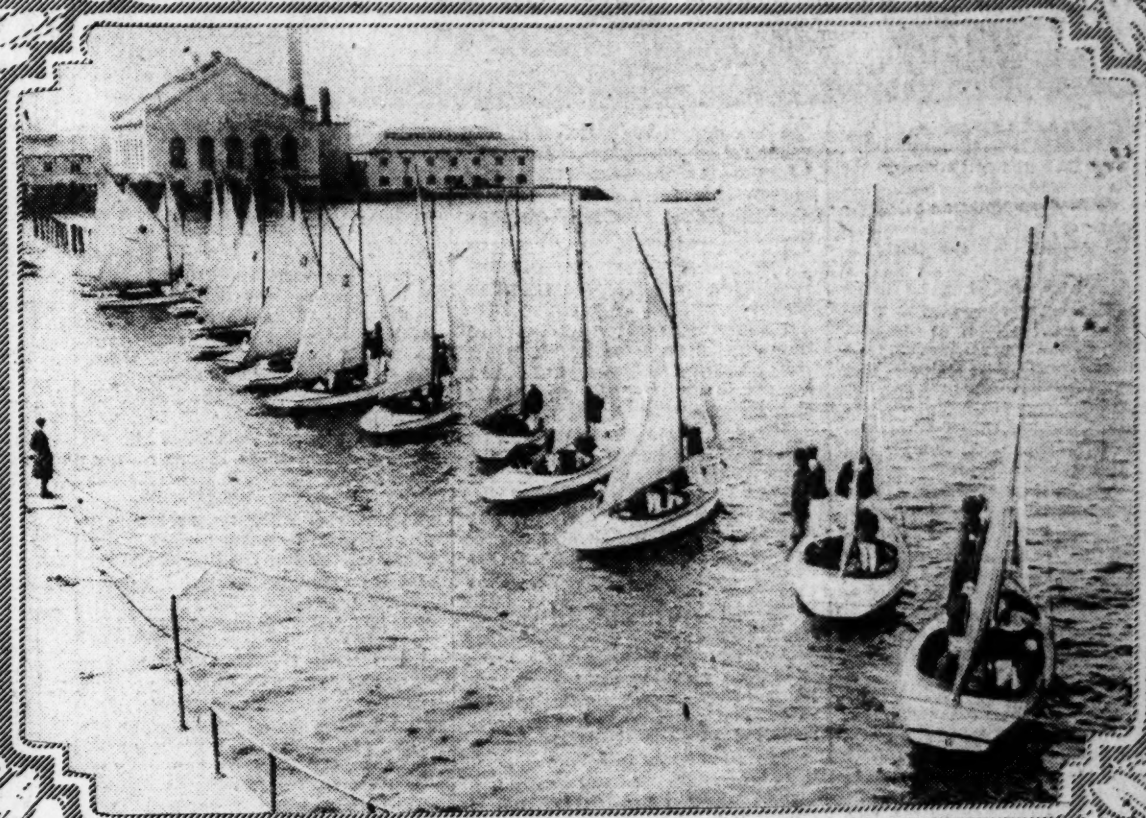
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WORK WHICH IS REAL SPORT

Midshipmen of the U. S. Naval Academy at drill in half-rater sloops.  
—Futurama.

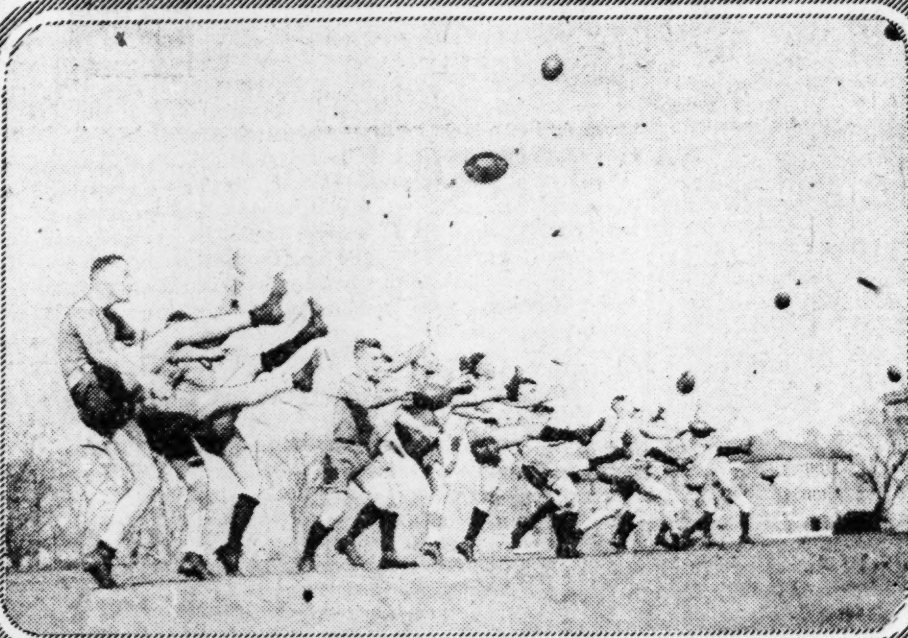
JEWISH SOCCER TEAM ARRIVES

The champion players of the Hakoah Sport Club of Vienna arrive in New York for a tour of this country. They are to play in St. Louis next month.  
—P. & A. photo.

AN AIR MAIL LETTER

The message sent by the Mayor of Los Angeles to the Mayor of New York, said to be the largest ever sent by mail, on the opening of the transcontinental air service.  
—Underwood & Underwood.

"MA" PITCHES THE FIRST BALL

Governor Miriam Ferguson of Texas opens the league season at Dallas.  
—P. & A. photo.WESTPOINTERS  
START TRAININGFootball candidates of the Military Academy get their first spring tryouts.  
—P. & A. photo.

THE COCKTAIL HOUR AT BIARRITZ

Roy McWilliams, the American consul at the French resort where the Prince of Wales is spending the early spring, entertaining a party of American tourists.  
—International Newsweek.

WAR MEMORIAL TO HORSES

A small statue, unveiled at the church of St. Jude's-on-the-Hill, London, to the 375,000 horses killed during the World War.  
—Wide World photo.







## SPRING DA



### BEHOLD QUESTIONS

Feeling. I'll peel more radish salt water. The agency to crack the code them from the

Ironing. The underneath side of the Turkish towel. It is broken hooks and the embroidery active.

Gold Lure. The fresh and sound of time if packed in

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stains and gives appearance. This lemon treat-

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scraping beneath an orange stick. danger of injuring the skin and re-

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air or dust.

Encouraged if your skin is dull, muddy. There is a way to it. And it takes minutes.

Apply it according to the directions. In five minutes it will keep the natural color in your complexion as if by

logically approved. Use three times a day. It is ready to use because it is immediately after it is

## Three-Mile Journeys

IN Hammamet, on the coast, women are still mystery, hidden from men and guarded in a

their faces are as they perform the tasks of men of their immediate men of the men of their

Even though enclosed in draperies, women are on the streets of the town, live, for the most part, in

households. There, like they perform the tasks of household, bake their bread and dry their clothes, and gossip when the heat of the

passing into dusk. They have a strange, mysterious life, with each other, these women, by a slight touch, they pass along the

day. They tell of the births, deaths, of the marriages. The only things that really to them. For they have a

rest outside of their home news of the outside world effect upon them. They even know of it, for they read now write.

The man of the house intrude upon this sacred life. Only when he is upon to come up and a necessary task is his permitted. And then he is careful that his glance stray, that he does not see the eyes and ears and ears is a guest and must be one.

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LEMON JUICE WHITENS THE

The only harmless way to the skin white is to mix the two lemons with three

Orchard, which is a gift with a few for a few. Almost overnight your skin on that enchanting, clear beauty that everyone envies and admires, yet have a few before bedtime, smooth cool, fragrant Golden Peacock

each morning notice how freckles, sunburn and tan have already started to go. Your money will be refunded if you are not satisfied. At all good stores.

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## IN TIME TO GET DINNER

By HANNAH WING.

OFTEN and often one hears—"But I must get home in time to get dinner." How long does it take to get dinner? Do you know? Of course, that depends first on the menu you have selected and next on how much preparation you have done in the morning and whether or not you have a fireless cooker or a thermostatic oven at home working while you are away.

Often the person new to cooking who wants to get home just in time to get dinner could add time to her outfit if she only knew how long it takes things to cook. The time it takes to get dinner is usually the time required for the dish that takes longest to cook.

With this in mind the following menus are suggested. Take as long as you like or do it as quickly as you can, the dishes in these menus will give you an idea of the kind of meal you must have if you want to get it quickly and also keep you away from trying to have fireless-cooked chicken on the night you want to get home just half an hour before dinner.

**A Dinner That Takes an Hour.**  
Meat Loaf Brown Gravy  
Baked Potatoes  
Scalloped Tomatoes  
Apple and Celery Salad  
Cottage Pudding Lemon Sauce  
A Dinner You Can Do in Half an Hour.

Broiled Lamb Chops  
Riced Potatoes  
Lettuce Salad  
Canned Peas  
Canned Peaches with Whipped Cream  
Two Hours for This.  
Priced Chicken  
Steamship Dumplings  
String Beans Mash Potatoes  
Molded Spinach Salad  
Pancake Dressing  
Frozen Coffee Mousse Sherbet  
Not Quite So Long (1½ Hours).  
Veal Stew Mayonnaise  
Tomato Salad Pineapple Pie

### Seen Along Fifth Avenue.

HATS can be trimmed with twin crystal pins, rhinestone ducks with silver felt and bills, antique gold ornaments in fruit or blossom shapes or monograms worked out in brilliant or mar-

Light colored coats and skirts of washable velveteen often have an allover design of soft-toned embroidery.

Shoes and hats match, shoes and dress match, but stockings, while they may be the same color, should not be the same shade.

The heels of evening slippers have inlays of colored stones and sequins in the shape of blossoms.

In the window of a smart shop a coat of beige goatskin with fitch trimming was seen.

A very smart shoe has applique bands of lizard skin drawn across the instep, simulating a draped effect.

The straight-line silhouette still predominates. However, pleats provide some fullness.

The coat cape, in many variations, is seen in all the shops.

Viscountess Massorene is the latest member of British society to open a dressmaking shop in London.

For the five days when the tamers throb, the bride is being prepared for the ceremony. Her hair is braided each day. Her face is liberally decorated with kohl, so that it seems a mask rather than a human face. Her feet and hands are decorated with a red-brown

When she is all ready, she is placed on exhibition for the female half of the population.

Today there is no excuse for unsightly freckles, tan and sallow skin. A wonderful new discovery gently removes blemishes and freckles as if by magic. Almost overnight your skin is on that enchanting, clear beauty that everyone envies and admires, yet have a few before bedtime, smooth cool, fragrant Golden Peacock

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## Children's Bedtime Story

By Thornton W. Burgess

### Reddy Fox Finds New Hunting

No Fox will ever knowlege apurn. But always be prepared to learn.

IF anyone had told Reddy Fox that he didn't know all there was to know about the hunting of his neighbors, he wouldn't have believed it. You know Reddy is one of the cleverest hunters of all the little people on the Green Meadows or in the Green Forest. He not only knows how to make the best possible use of that wonderful nose of his, of those two keen ears, and of those sharp eyes, but he uses his wits as well. He makes it his business to know all about those whom he hunts; to know all about what they are likely to do. So then, when he goes hunting he is prepared for anything.

But since the coming of Mr. and Mrs. Ringneck the Pheasants, Reddy had found that even so clever a fox as himself could learn. The Ringnecks were a constant aggravation to Reddy Fox. He knew without being told that they must be the very best of eating, and from the time he first saw them he made up his mind that sooner or later he would have a Pheasant dinner.

Now, Reddy had often hunted members of Bob White's family. He often had hunted members of Mrs. Grouse's family. He knew just what to expect when he was hunting them. He knew that it was their habit in both cases to keep perfectly still when they suspected they were being hunted. They would keep still in the hope that the hunter would pass by. So Reddy thought that because Mr. and Mrs. Ringneck the Pheasants were in a way similar to the Grouse family and the Bob White family, they would act in the same way. More than once Reddy had caught a young grouse by springing just as it took to its wings and before it was really started. He had seen both Mr. and Mrs. Ringneck fly and he thought them a little slow.

"All I have to do is to get within jumping distance of one of them," said Reddy to himself. "and I'll have one before they can get in the air." So Reddy spent a great deal of time thinking about and planning to catch those Pheasants. He first learned their favorite places. Then he learned when they were most likely to be in those places. Then he felt that he was ready to catch one.

Now Reddy's wonderful little nose can follow the scent left by the feet of a bird just as Bowser's wonderful nose enables him to follow the scent left by Reddy's own feet. So it was that one morning he found the Pheasant scent very strong. Instantly Reddy began to follow it. In a few moments he didn't need to put his nose to the ground, for he could smell Mr. Pheasant just ahead of him. You see, a Merry Little Breeze was blowing toward him. You should have seen Reddy then. He moved without a sound. He placed each little foot so softly that not a leaf rustled. His nose told him that Ringneck was very, very near.

"I'll have a Pheasant dinner this time," thought Reddy, and licked his lips. "That fellow isn't more than a jump or two ahead of me."

Slowly, but cautiously now, he crept forward and he kept right on creeping forward. It was more than twice two jumps. Reddy began to be puzzled. "Why didn't he catch up? He moved a little faster. It made no difference. He could still smell Ringneck the Pheasant just a little bit ahead of him. He moved still faster and still he didn't catch up. Reddy was learning something. It came to him at last that Ringneck was running. Reddy ran, too. It was then that Reddy learned that Ringneck puts a great deal of trust in those rather long legs of his and that they can carry him very swiftly. It was some time before Reddy could get near enough to make Ringneck take to his wings. When at last he did, they were some distance from where Reddy had caught the first scent.

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### BOYS' AND GIRLS' MAGAZINE

Are you reading it? Out every week with the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Sliced Mushrooms. Wipe, peel and cut one pound of fresh mushrooms. Place them in a porcelain-lined saucepan with two heaping tablespoons of butter divided into eight lumps, each rolled in flour. Cover, heat slowly and cook gently in their own liquor and the butter for 15 minutes, then add two tablespoons of thick cream, salt and pepper. Take from the fire and add a well-beaten egg yolk and a tablespoonful of sherry flavoring or a teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce. Serve at once Garnish with toast sippets and parsley.

### Sure Way to Get Rid of Dandruff

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to comb or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it; then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and four or three more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it. You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. Four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you may have. This simple remedy never fails.

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## HOME-MAKING HELPS

By WANDA BARTON

**FILLING ODD CORNERS.** ROOMS difficult to furnish have no terrors for the modern interior decorator.

Small rugs on the polished floor can be fitted into the spaces to better advantage. They will look better than a large rug that might have to be turned under at a corner to allow for a corner or jutting partition.

Be careful in choice of curtains. Don't use wide striped material or that having patterns or large flowers. A soft material in chintz or pongee trimmed or prettily stenciled muslin will do nicely. Don't carry the outer curtains to the floor, but cut them off 12 inches below the window sill.

A desk chair that slips under the desk when not in use is the one to choose. A stool for the dressing table may be selected with the same point of view. A small gate-leg table makes a charming tea table or a reading table in the odd room, for when not needed it may be set back against the wall out of the way.

In lighting the odd-shaped room Give Your Guests a Treat

**TOM-BOY**  
Golden Tinted  
Yellow Gling Peaches  
With that never-to-be-forgotten fresh fruit flavor.

**Dusts Cleans Polishes**  
IT'S HERE-AT 50¢

The wonder, new O-Cedar Polish Mop at a pace setting price. All the O-Cedar features—padded triangle that gets into mean corners without denting or scratching woodwork; the long, lintless cotton swab that takes up dirt and spreads a lovely film of polish; the light handle that can't slip out. See it at your dealer's now.

**O-Cedar Polish Mop**

Mops in other sizes—75¢, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75

**Lecho de Paris**

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**Household Hints**  
BY Absorene Archie

THE bright, sunshiny Spring Days are just around the corner. We long to enjoy the cheerfulness of out-doors and the health-giving rays of Old Sol.

But what about the inside of your home? It should be just as cheerful, sunny and healthful as out-doors. Absorene helps to make it so. It cleans Wall Paper thoroughly. Just glide over the Paper and instantly absorb all the grime, soot and grease. You can also use it on your Window Shades, Frescos and Water Colors with wonderful results.

Approved by "Modern Praxilla" and "Good Housekeeping"

On the Woodwork, Painted Surfaces, Marble and Tile use H R H, the Master Cleaner. Finest thing ever to scour and whiten door saps.

Clever housewives have 100 uses for H R H from Cellar to Garret.

Keep it handy—It's a dandy!

## ODD FACTS

Rats are responsible for a loss of \$350,000,000 worth of food every year. This is apart from the damage these rodents do to houses, barns, warehouses, etc.

The word "vaccinate" comes from the Latin "vacca"—a cow.

Ordinary sports, such as cricket, tennis and running, are especially beneficial, as they cause no eye-strain.

Miss Gladys Dodsworth, an Englishwoman, recently carried off the first prize and the first certificate ever issued to a woman in the final examination for incorporated accountants, beating no fewer than 228 men and four other women.

The Central Christian Church, one of the largest in Kansas City, Mo., has chosen a woman to act as its pastor. She is Mrs. Sophia Pritts, who formerly was pastor of the Brammer (Mo.) Christian Church.

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Air Flows Through It!

1. 126 perforations to admit air—the SanOtuf breathes—keeps sanitary, fresh & fluffy. 2. Instead of tufts outside—tufts filling can never shift. 3. Eighteen reinforcing strips. The SanOtuf can never stretch—wears longer.

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# The Man on the Sandbox

by L. Corrie

## HELLON THE WABASH.

LAST week we were very much afraid that we will never make the grade. A wrench into the old machine. The Wabash road is tossing.

They've kept it up for years and years. And now a settlement appears as far away as ever. Beyond the shadow of a doubt, The railroad hopes to wear us out.

With subterfuges clever. Regardless of the rules of sport, From lowest to the highest court, We've been compelled to fight 'em.

Yea, ab initio, as they say. Ad nauseam that right of way. Goes on ad infinitum.

## QUITE SO.

See where the Duke and Duchess of Guise, the new Pretenders to the crown of France, have gone to Sicily to assume their duties, whatever they are.

St. Louis must increase her air mail to 350 pounds or lose the service. Heavy, heavy hangs over our heads.

"Men Students Employed Evenings Minding Babies." Good work. It wouldn't hurt

em to take a post-graduate course in dishwashing. The Prince of Wales thought he would fool the public by traveling under the name of Earl of Chester. It can't be done. We know you, Al!

## TODAY'S WORST.

The St. Louis bankers are said to be taking full advantage of the new air mail service. Up there in the air the drafts will be in their native element.

A Chicago Judge says that there are 118,000 murderers in the United States unpunished. Murderers will out, as the feller says.

"Says Billion Is Loss Yearly by Frauds."

Not lost, merely diverted.

## TOO TRUE.

WHILE the bait doth tempting look, The sucker riseth to the hook.

The man on the sandbox says if you want to impeach a man you gotta catch him young.

Things were not breaking so easy for those Pine Lawn holdup men who were folled by bullet-proof glass.

See where the Anti-Saloon League may demand the resignation of Gen. Andrews. Better watch your step, Cal, or they'll be firing you next.

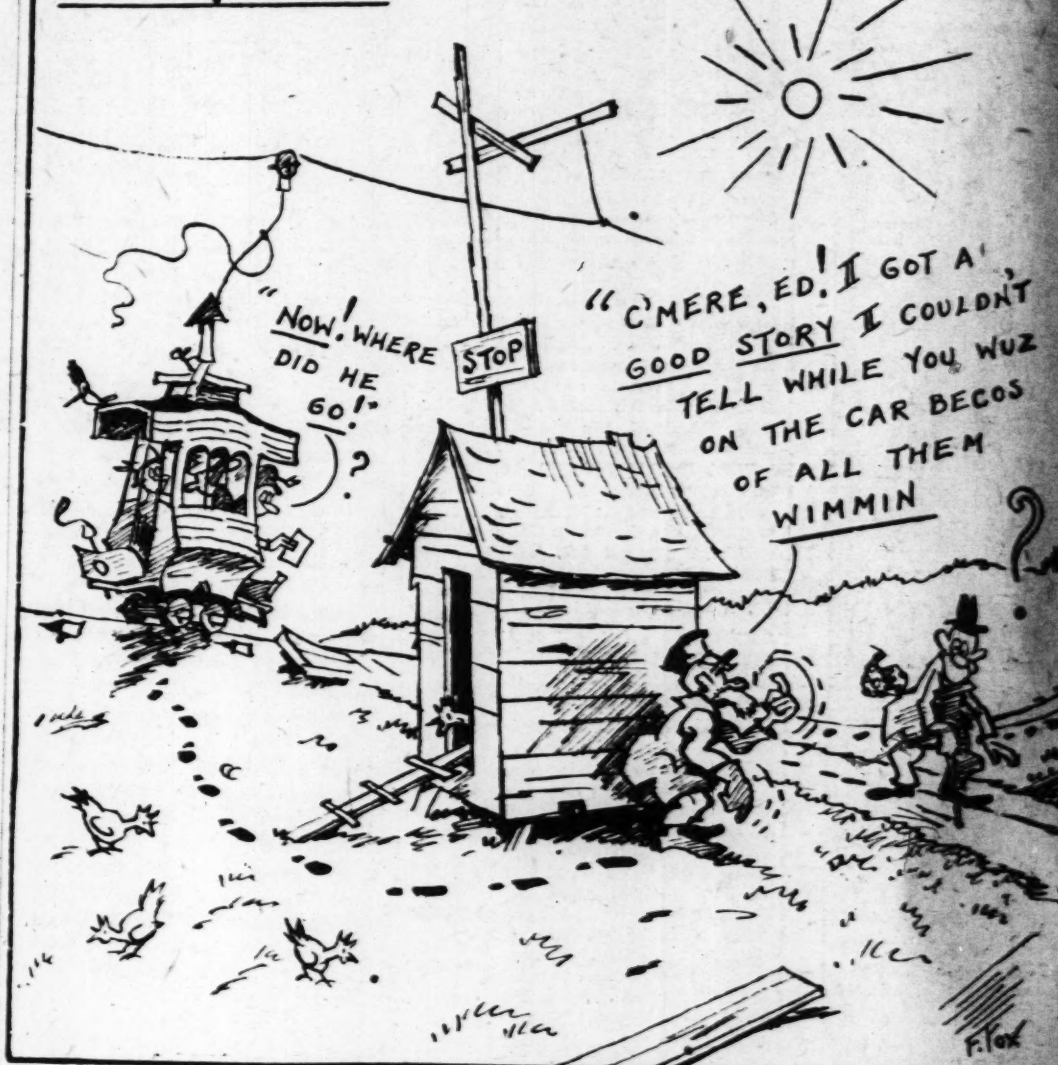
It seems that incurring the displeasure of the A. S. L. is tantamount to playing with firewater.

## BRINGING UP FATHER—By GEORGE McMANUS

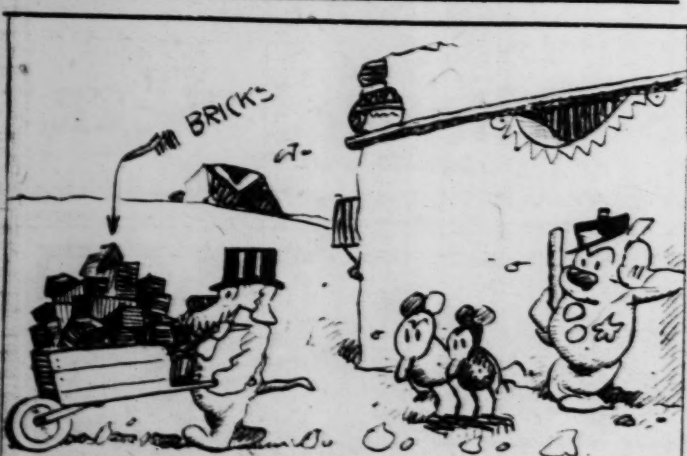


## THE TOONERVILLE TROLLEY—By FONTAINE FOX

THE SKIPPER HAS GOT HOLD OF A GOOD STORY WHICH HAS DELAYED THE CAR CONSIDERABLY DURING THE PAST WEEK



## KRAZY KAT—By HERRIMAN



## MUTT AND JEFF—THE JUDGE WINS THE DECISION—By BUD FISHER



## THEY ALWAYS COME BACK FOR MORE—By RUBE GOLDBERG



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8015 Room and Board Want Ads in the POST-DISPATCH during March.  
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## DEBATE ON DEBT TERMS TO ITALY IN FINAL STAGES

Senate to Vote at 4 P. M.

Today—Reed Denounces  
Premier Mussolini as  
Drunk With Power.

BORAH MOVES TO  
RECOMMIT REPORT

Urges Inquiry to Learn  
Rome's Capacity to Pay  
—Gerry Defends Proposed Settlement.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—With a vote set for 4 o'clock this afternoon, the Senate today engaged in its last hours of debate on the Italian debt funding agreement. Senator Reed of Missouri started the discussion with a fiery denunciation of Premier Mussolini, declaring the settlement would be a gift of a billion and a half dollars to the Premier, "who is drunk with power."

"The vision that delights his eye," the Missourian said of Mussolini, "is an ocean of blood through which he can walk in triumph."

Before Reed had concluded, Senator Borah (Rep.) of Idaho moved to recommit the settlement to the Finance Committee with instructions to investigate Italy's capacity to pay and the motion must be voted on before a vote can be taken on ratifying the agreement itself.

The settlement was defended by Senator Gerry (Dem.) of Rhode Island.

After outlining his views of Italy's capacity, he said, opposition to the present Government of Italy "should not enter into the question."

"I am satisfied," he said, "that the people of Italy are, for the most part, getting the government they desire."

Those opposing the settlement have contended that it amounts in substance to a cancellation of the principal of the debt at the end of the 62-year life of the agreement. On the other hand, proponents argue that the whole principal will be paid, with some interest in addition.

The principal of the debt amounts to \$1,447,849,197, and there has been added to this accrued interest up to the time of settlement, which makes the total principal \$2,642,000,000.

For the first five years interest charges are foregone, and thereafter they will gradually from one-eighth of 1 per cent annually for the first 10 years to a maximum of 2 per cent during the last seven years.

Opponents of the bill have said that these rates will result in the collection of only \$352,000,000 in interest in 62 years.

**Harrison's Proposal.**

During debate yesterday Senator Harrison (Dem.) of Mississippi offered a resolution for further investigation of the settlement terms. He said the identity of the purchasers of the Italian bonds of the \$100,000,000 loan obtained through J. P. Morgan & Co. should be ascertained. He said the Finance Committee also should investigate the activities of the bondholders in the interests of ratification of the settlement.

Senator McKellar (Dem.) of Tennessee made another attack on Premier Mussolini and his aims. Particularly his reported plan to rebuild his Augustan splendor.

Senator Copeland (Dem.) of New York replied that the Italian Prime Minister "should be praised instead of criticized for his plans to eliminate city slums," while Senator Reed (Rep.) of Pennsylvania asserted that it was good Government policy to make public improvements in times of industrial depression.

**Figures on Italian Wealth.**

Sensors Harrison and McKellar both gave figures purporting to show that Italy's national wealth increased from \$22,000,000,000 in 1912 to \$35,000,000,000 in 1922, cited these as evidence that Italy's capacity to pay was greater than had been estimated by the Debt Commission.

Ratification of the settlement is urged by the Executive Committee of the United States Chamber of Commerce in letters mailed to all Senators.

**Smith Steel Car Bill Approved.**

WASHINGTON, April 21.—The Senate Interstate Commerce Committee has favorably reported the Smith bill to prohibit the use of wooden railroad cars between steel cars or in front of any steel car in any train designed as a whole or

## MASSACHUSETTS

Machinists  
Evicted

By the Associated Press  
SHANGHAI, April 21.—Five men out of guard of the death at the chun troops in Pekin, says the News.

The new blooded mantrists permiters to destroy Cabinet office desks during month. The yond the machine guns and only five by the Associated Press.

Troops of the Kuomintang originally all ten army a

## FIREMEN FROM R

Cut Off by Lucas

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Twenty-th down ladder, roof, and a stairways to night clothes in a rooming house, says the News.

The fire, by started 3414 Lucas street, Kansas City, Mo., started by a woman, says the News.

Kulman St. paratus has to the upper floor the pressing Negro, 3414 Lucas street, says the News.

The woman, who got to the found the flames and at windows firemen called, says the News.

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## SUICIDE'S

One-Third

By the Associated Press  
CLEVELAND, April 21.—The estate of a woman who died last week, says the News.

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